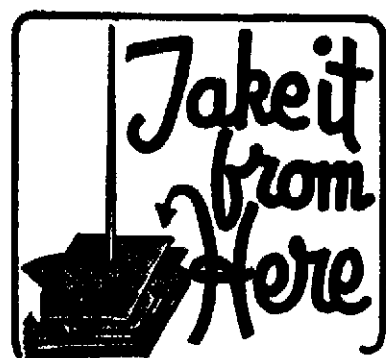


Claim Army Code Clerk a Red



NOTES FROM A CITY EDITOR'S DAYBOOK—Have you noticed a traffic jam in the fund collection department?

Are you dinged to death with various and sundry campaigns for one charity or another?

In other words, are you getting tired of the constant stream of campaign slogans over the radio, in your newspapers, and in the mail urging you to contribute to the many worthwhile drives that are beneficial to all of us?

An editor friend of mine wrote me a note in which he said that he is deeply concerned with the rapidity of the campaigns. No sooner does his staff finish publicity on one campaign, it is into another. He says that actually he may have to increase his staff to handle the publicity.

He does not mean to discredit or discourage these fund drives. And neither do I. But I believe that we both sense a crisis developing in this situation that will serve to turn the public's attention away from fund drives—period.

I hasten to add that we may both be wrong. January, February and March are crowded months for fund campaigns. The insistent campaigning may be driving us slap-happy. They, the fund committees, are literally standing in line awaiting their just share of the publicity spotlight. Fund chairmen get irritable when their pet project does not receive a large and glowing share of the publicity.

But editors are noting this: The goals are getting higher (inflation, you know), the number of "worthy" causes are more numerous, and the demand for publicity is becoming more insistent.

Of course the answer seems to be in a Community Chest fund. From this seat, I'd regard such a plan as a blessing. I would think that the average John Public would welcome it, also.

But there's a catch. Some nationwide charity organizations shy away from the all-inclusive, once-a-year fund drive. Some detach themselves from the Community Chest and strike out on their own. Thus the public, after giving a healthy sum to the Community Chest, finds itself confronted with another fund campaign.

What's the answer? Adopt the Community Chest plan and plainly inform the "on-their-own" organization to scratch for itself?

Grant special privilege to these independent organizations and allow them to work outside the Community Chest?

Bluntly inform them that the public is entitled to some protection from fund-raisers and offer them a just share of the "pot"—or else?

C. J. C.

Reds Lift Siege Near Laos Capital

SAIGON, Indochina (U)—The French command announced tonight that the 18-day siege of Muong Sai, 45 miles northwest of Luang Prabang, the royal capital of Laos, has been lifted with the aid of American donated B26 bombers.

The command said elements of Vietnamese Division No. 306, which unleashed an offensive toward Luang Prabang Jan. 30, had pulled back its forces from the vicinity of the capital as well as Muong Sai. The division is regrouping in the valley of the Bac River 50 miles northwest of Luang Prabang.

CHANGE DATE

Because of illness in the speaker's family, the evening church service planned Thursday in Immanuel Lutheran church in connection with Christian Teaching Mission will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The speaker will be the Rev. Carl K. Hartz, St. Louis.

Award Thrills Walton School Students



RECEIVING THE GOOD NEWS—Mrs. Margaret Payne, sixth, seventh and eighth grade teacher in Walton school, reads the Freedoms Foundation awards list which tells that Walton school won a George Washington Honor Medal for a panel discussion on "What American Democracy Means." The eighth grade students, who took part in the discussion, shown receiving the news are (left to right), James Payne, Marilyn Montavon, John Morrissey, Roger Kuffel and Delmar Friel. The awards are made to schools, individuals and organizations which make outstanding contributions to better understanding of democracy.

Yankees Sell Pitcher Raschi Star Hurler Goes to Cards; See Friction

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (U)—In a blow at the complacency on the five-time champion New York Yankees, the club today sold Vic Raschi, ace right handed pitcher, to the St. Louis Cardinals of the National League for cash and minor league players.

"I want to say," said George Weiss, general manager of the club, "that the club appreciated Raschi but the time has come for him to move along. Some of the players on this ball club take the attitude that they are the employees and we are the employees."

Won 120
Raschi, who has won 120 games and lost 50 for the best winning average among active pitchers, received \$40,000 last year and refused to sign a 1954 contract that called for a cut in salary although he won only 13 games last year.

The big right hander has been in Tampa for some time but did not contact the club. He officially became a holdout Monday when practice started and he did not report.

Weiss said that waivers were asked for the pitcher Monday "and we were somewhat surprised when no one asked for him. It appears no one wanted to pick up the tab (Raschi's salary), particularly since he has declined in the number of victories each year recently."

August A. Busch, Cardinal owner, and Dick Meyer, general manager of the National leaguers, negotiated with Weiss.

First Deal
It was the first cash deal made by the current owners of the Yankees, Del Webb and Dan Topping. The deal was estimated at \$50,000, with the Yankees to get several minor leaguers for their Kansas City farm in the transaction.

Weiss added that "I don't want to make Raschi the whipping boy but there is an air of complacency... some of the players don't seem to realize or will not admit that the club itself has something to do with the five straight World Series championships."

He explained that Raschi was paid "in 1952 for having won 21 games in 1951. Although he won only 16 games in 1953, he refused to take a cut in 1953, and was signed for the same figure. Then he won only 13 games.

"We have had complaints from some of the younger pitchers that they have taken up the slack but were not being paid accordingly. I believe this complaint was justified, notably in the cases of Eddie Ford and Jim McDonald."

Raschi's departure leaves only eight players with the Yankees

who helped Manager Casey Stengel win the first of five straight pennants in 1949. They are shortstop Phil Rizzuto, catcher Yogi Berra, pitcher Allie Reynolds, infielder Gerry Coleman, pitcher Ed Lopat, outfielder Gene Woodling, catcher Charles Silvera and outfielder Hank Bauer.

Weiss added that he wouldn't have traded Raschi to either the Cleveland Indians or the Chicago White Sox because "they are contenders in our league but I was glad to be able to dispose of him to an aggressive, well paying club like the Cardinals."

Rug Theft Charges May Be Dropped

A rug salesman from Chicago, who Sunday charged a Dixon resident with taking a rug from his car, failed to file charges against the Dixonite today.

Louis Hutkin was scheduled to sign an information against Edward Lane, 32, of 812 Jay Ave. av., who was to appear today before Lee County Judge Grover Gehant.

Although Lane is still under \$500 bond, the charge against him may be dismissed unless Hutkin backs up his allegations.

Hutkin told Lee County Sheriff John Stouffer that Lane took a \$15 rug from his car Sunday afternoon.

Pope Having Renewed Difficulty Taking Food

VATICAN CITY (U)—Pope Pius was reported today experiencing renewed difficulty in taking food and anxiety increased over his health.

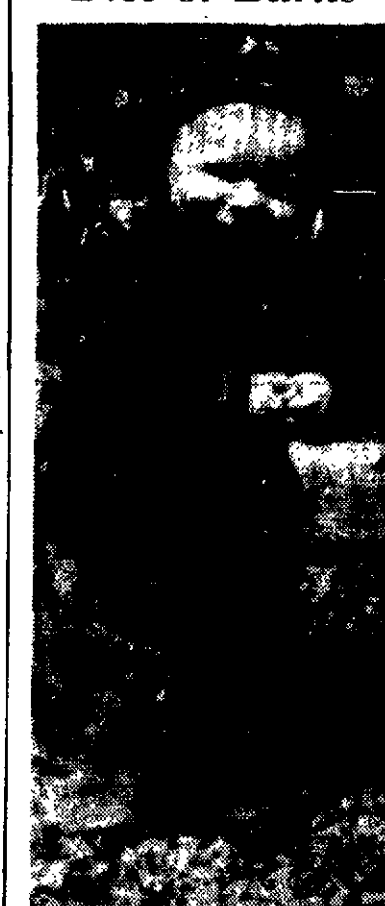
Vatican sources said that the 77-year-old head of the Roman Catholic church has had more difficulty during the past two or three days in taking food.

The Pontiff has been suffering for more than a month from a gastric ailment whose nature has never been definitely disclosed, if it is definitely known.

In the most recent announcement on his health, the Vatican press office said that it was hoped that the Pope might soon be able to take all his nourishment orally.

The Vatican newspaper L'Osservatore Romano today discounted hopes of a rapid recovery for Pope Pius and said that he still requires "assiduous care."

Dies of Burns



MICHAEL FITZPATRICK, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fitzpatrick, Dixon, as he appeared at nine months of age, died today of burns suffered Sunday when he pulled a pot of scalding coffee over on himself.

Strongest Chain

BOSTON (U)—The largest and strongest chain ever made is being forged today at the Boston naval shipyard. The 350-pound links are 2 feet 4 1/2 inches long.

Breaking point of the chain is rated at "in excess of 2 1/2 million pounds."

It will be the anchor chain of the giant 60,000-ton aircraft carrier, USS Forrestal, now nearing completion.

20-Month-Old Dixon Baby Dies of Burns

Youngster Spills Pot Of Coffee

Michael Fitzpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fitzpatrick, 1606 Ninth st., Dixon, succumbed to hypostatic broncho pneumonia resulting from the burns which covered 35 per cent of his body.

At an inquest today conducted in the Melvin funeral home, Dixon, by Lee county Coroner Robert Preston, a coroner's jury found death resulted from the mishap.

According to George, 21, and Dorothy Fitzpatrick, 19, parents of the child, the scalding happened at about 9:30 p.m. Sunday in their house trailer.

Brewed Coffee
Mrs. Fitzpatrick said she just had made a pot of coffee and was waiting for it to settle in the percolator when the child scalded himself.

She and Mrs. John Sweet, Dixon, an aunt of the boy, were in the trailer with Michael and his brother, Terry Lee, six months old, and Mrs. Sweet's seven-month-old daughter, Martha Mae.

According to the mother, the youngster liked to stay up until his parents went to bed. He was playing, sleepily, in the trailer just before the accident.

The trailer is constructed in such a manner that the kitchen separates the living room from the bedroom. Mrs. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Sweet were in the living room with Martha Mae.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick said young Michael must have slipped from the bedroom to the kitchen without her knowing it. She didn't realize he wasn't in the room with her until she heard him screaming in the kitchen.

Pulls Cord
Rushing from the living room, she found the youngster covered with scalding coffee. Apparently, the lad grabbed the electric cord and pulled it from the counter near the sink where his mother had put it.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick said the cord wasn't plugged in, that she must have left it dangle low enough that the child could reach it from the floor.

Tearing the clothes from the boy, she immediately wrapped him in a blanket and took him to the hospital in a neighbor's car.

The boy's father was working at the Medina Portland Cement Co., East River road, when the incident took place. He was scheduled to return home at 11:15 p.m.

The Fitzpatrick's came to Dixon about six months ago from Benton, Ill., where the father was employed by a roofing company. They were married three years ago.

Michael died at about 2:30 a.m. today. He was born June 8, 1952 in Benton.

List Survivors

Surviving are his parents, three aunts and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lance, Mr. and Mrs. John Sweet, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fitzpatrick, all of Dixon; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fitzpatrick, Benton, and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pullum, Dexter, Mo.

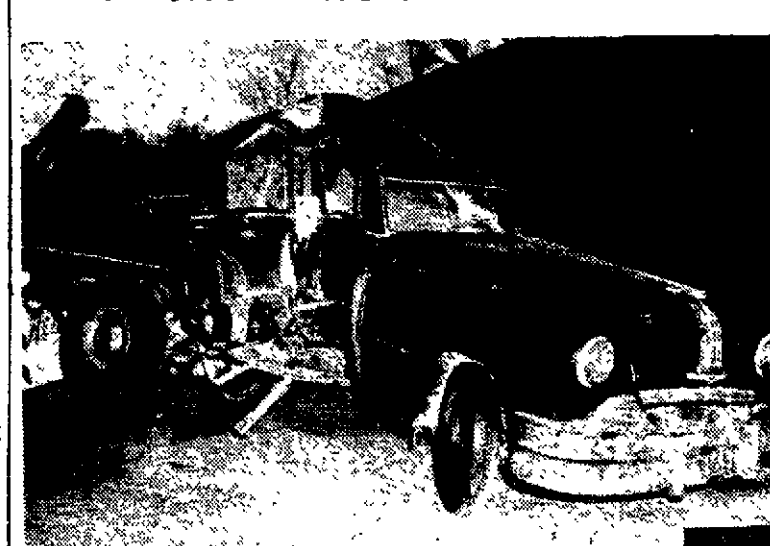
The body was taken today from the Melvin funeral home to the Freeman funeral home, Benton, where funeral services will be held Thursday.

RELEASED ON BOND

BYRON (Special)—A Dixon man, Jon Mantach, 1734 Fourth st., was released Monday on \$1,300 bond after he was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Willard Jones on a bastardy charge.

Mantach was arrested Monday in his Dixon home by Ogle Chief Deputy Sheriff Dallas Swagg.

And the Dixon Driver Lived!



A 26-YEAR-OLD DIXON WOMAN miraculously escaped death early today when the car she was driving, pictured above after the mishap, skidded off U. S. Rt. 52, about six miles south of Dixon, and wrapped around a tree. Mrs. Jean Flannigan, who resides with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Eller, 1114 N. Galena av., while her husband is in the service, was reported in good condition today at KSB hospital. She suffered head injuries and possible back injuries. According to State Police Officer Vernon Brandenburg, Chadwick, Mrs. Flannigan apparently was driving south at about 2 a. m. today when the car left the road and hit a soft shoulder. She was alone. How long she remained helpless before being discovered has not been determined. She was taken to the hospital.

Soybeans Soar To 3-Year High

Postal Bribe Takers Given Prison, Fine

CHICAGO (U)—Two brothers convicted on charges of soliciting and accepting bribes on promises of obtaining post office promotions today were sentenced to 28 months in prison and fined \$2,750 each.

The two were Atty. Julius C. Echeles and his brother, Paul, who were convicted by a Federal Court jury Feb. 18 on 13 counts of soliciting and accepting bribes and conspiracy. Paul Echeles was a post office clerk.

Federal Judge Julius J. Hoffman permitted the brothers to remain free under \$2,000 bond, pending a ruling on an appeal of the sentence and fine.

One of the prosecution's witnesses was former Chicago Postmaster John Haderlein who previously had been acquitted of charges that he allegedly accepted bribes in connection with promises of promotions.

HAS SURGERY

William J. Connell, 420 E. Seventh st., is recuperating from surgery Saturday. He is a patient in Colonial hospital, Room 360, Rochester, Minn.

Federal Grand Jury Indicts More for U. S. Ship Deals

WASHINGTON (U)—Atty. Gen. Brownell announced today a federal grand jury has returned five additional indictments charging 18 individuals and seven corporations with diverse offenses in connection with the disposal of surplus ships from World War II.

Among the individuals were former Rep. Joseph Casey (D-Mass.). The indictments, Brownell said, were voted by a grand jury here, last April 23, but were kept sealed until the government reached the conclusion that some of the defendants, living abroad, are unlikely ever to return to the United States.

Part of a Series

The indictments announced today, which are a part of a series of such indictments, named Casey for a second time during the series. The ex-lawmaker, who once headed a group alleged to have made immense profits in surplus ship transfers, was accused of conspiracy to breach a purchase contract with the government by sales of stock in the purchasing company to others without approval of the Maritime Commission.

Today's indictments similarly charged Julius C. Holmes of New York City, former United States minister to London, who was alleged to have participated in the Casey transactions.

Named Casey

Other indictments announced early this month named Casey and Aristotle S. Onassis, fabulously wealthy resident of Argentina who runs a worldwide shipping business headquartered at Monte Carlo. Those indictments charged them with conspiring to defraud the government.

All of the indictments involve charges that surplus U. S. government ships were purchased in the names of Americans and illegally funneled to aliens through corporate transactions.

Undercover FBI Agent Tells Link

Card-Carrying Red Handles Top Secrets, McCarthy Probe Told

WASHINGTON (U)—A former FBI undercover informant testified today that she had known as a dues-paying, card-carrying Communist a woman who Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis) said now is handling "top secret messages" as an army code room employee.

Mrs. Mary Markward, the FBI informer named the army employee as Annie Lee Moss.

Mrs. Markward, trim in a black suit and white gloves, testified at a public hearing called by McCarthy's senate investigations subcommittee.

Mrs. Markward told the subcommittee that as a former Communist party official here she had known Annie Lee Moss as a Communist party member. At the time, she said, the woman was a cafeteria worker in the Pentagon.

Now in Code Room
McCarthy a moment before said the woman whom Mrs. Markward was to name is, according to the subcommittee's understanding, now working in the code room of the army signal corps, "handling top secret messages."

McCarthy is embroiled in controversy with Secretary of the Army Stevens over McCarthy's charge the army has "coddled Communists."

Stevens was once scheduled for a face-to-face meeting with the committee today on the issue, but McCarthy deferred the session until Thursday.

Instead, McCarthy decided to go into this case which he described as that of an "alleged Communist" in the Pentagon's "decoding room."

"No Surprise"
Convening the hearing, McCarthy said the testimony he was about to take should come as "no surprise" to the army because "the army had the same information months ago."

He said he had given Pentagon officials notice some time ago that he planned to air the case publicly unless they "did something" about it.

McCarthy said that "in fairness" to Secretary Stevens, he wanted to emphasize that "I doubt very much that Secretary Stevens personally knew about this case."

The hearing was the first in which Democratic members of McCarthy's Senate investigations subcommittee have participated since they quit the group in a row with McCarthy last July.

Present today were Sens. McClellan (D-Ark) and Jackson (D-Wash.). The third Democrat, Sen. Symington (D-Mo) is out of the country.

It also was the first hearing at which the Democrats had their own counsel, Robert F. Kennedy, brother of Sen. John F. Kennedy (D-Mass.).

Reported to FBI
Mrs. Markward testified, in reply to questions, that she had reported regularly and promptly to the FBI while a member of the Communist party.

McCarthy interjected that it could be assumed the FBI had turned over the information to the government departments concerned. And, he added, a Civil Service Commission report would be introduced to make clear the information about Mrs. Moss "was

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Weather

Considerable cloudiness and somewhat colder tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy and warmer. Low tonight 29; high Wednesday 49; low Wednesday night 29.

High Monday ... 46
Low today ... 39

Precipitation to 7 a. m., .10 inch.
Sunrise 6:42 a.m. Sunset 5:45 p.m.

FIVE DAY FORECAST: Illinois—Temperatures will average 5 to 10 degrees above normal; normal high 42 north, 50 south; normal low 23 north, 30 south. Only minor day to day changes in temperature. Precipitation will average little or none. Chance of scattered showers around Thursday.

Sheep Project Meeting Held

AMBOY — (Special) — Over 60 parents, leaders, and members attended the 4-H sheep project training night held recently in Amboy.

Bradford and Ralph Fulton, township sheep men gave several practical demonstrations on various methods of docking, castrating, and marking ewes and lambs.

Creep rations, pen construction, parasite, discolored lambs, lambing care, cold weather care of lambs, disease control and many other topics connected with sheep

were discussed by a panel consisting of Roger Buckaloo, Dixon; David Emmert, Dixon; Ralph Salzman, Ashton; Herman Schafer, Franklin Grove; Burnell Henert, Ashton; Ralph Fulton, Ashton, and Arthur Seeds, Amboy.

Lambburgers were furnished for all those attending by Ralph Fulton, and Mrs. Salzman and Mrs. Fulton prepared a complete buffet supper.

CURFEW TIME

The word "curfew" is derived from the French couvre-feu, meaning "to cover fire." Ringing of the curfew originated in England under William the Conqueror, who required all houses to be shut and lights and fires to be put out at the ringing of a bell each night.

List Rules for 4-H Tractor Project Study

AMBOY — (Special) — The 1954 4-H tractor maintenance project school is scheduled for Saturday, March 13, and Saturday, March 20, in V. O. Bonnell implement store, Sublette.

Here are the rules and regulations worked out by the committee in charge of tractor maintenance. Members of the committee were Lennie Spratt, Amboy; Ray Lair, Dixon; Denton Swarts, Dixon; Frank Pilgrim, Sterling, and Arthur Seeds, Amboy.

First, second and third year phases will be completely covered on two Saturdays.

Enrollment cards must be in by March 5 so we can plan accordingly. Use the orange 4-H enrollment card and indicate first, second or third year, and make of tractor.

Rules and Regulations
Date—March 13, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. March 20, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

First, second and third year members will attend.

All schools will begin and end on time to assure coverage of the entire program.

Perfect attendance at all sessions for eligibility to compete in

tractor driver's contest and achievement.

Final enrollment date, March 5. Use regular 4-H enrollment card.

Projects—Members must have an additional project to accompany tractor maintenance in their 4-H work, such as livestock, poultry, dairy.

Age—Must be able to operate a tractor for eligibility to attend school.

Achievement requirements:
A. Attend all sessions of the tractor maintenance school.

B. Participate in the tractor driver's contest or exhibit at 4-H show.

C. Complete and turn in record book on or before the tractor driver's contest.

D. Complete all other 4-H achievement requirements.

TELEGRAPH Farm Page

The Dixon Evening Telegraph—Dixon, Illinois

Tuesday, February 23, 1954

Robert Kreger Is Junior Member of Holstein Assn.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt. — Having done satisfactory Holstein calf work during the past year, Robert Kreger, Dixon, has been awarded a Certificate of Merit and granted a junior membership in the American-Friesian Association of America, Brattleboro, Vt. He was recommended for these awards by the State 4-H club leader.

All privileges of the association except voting have been given to him until he is 21 years of age.

Over 17,000 young people have become junior members of the association since the founding of the junior program in 1923.

Farm Product Price Drop Halted: Morse

DECATUR, Ill. (U. S. — True D. Morse, undersecretary of Agriculture, said Monday night that "the decline in farm product prices has been checked."

Morse spoke to members of the Decatur Assn. of Commerce and the Macon County Farm Bureau.

"The price decline had been underway almost two years when Agriculture Secretary Benson took office," Morse declared. "The parity ration had gone down from 113 to 94 per cent of parity by January, 1953. . . . During the past year the ratio went down only four points and is now back to within two points of where it stood a year ago."

"The year ahead will be profitable for farmers. Their purchasing power should be well maintained."

The undersecretary said the administration's proposed new farm program, which would emphasize flexible rather than rigid price support levels for basic crops, was "not just to benefit farmers" but "is a program for all in the nation."

"The program will give greater freedom of choice and action and will reduce the need for governmental action to attain adequate incomes for farmers," Morse said.

"There is an increasing ap-

Men to Present Program For Rock River Grange

On Wednesday evening the men of the Rock River Grange will present a program for the ladies benefit. Each year at one meeting the men furnish the program and anything can be expected on that night. In the past they have had a style show and a minstrel show. This year the name of the program will be "Colonel Stoopnagle's Kindergarten."

Recently at a business meeting the Grange voted to donate \$10.75 to the polo fund. Catherine Buckaloo, chairman of the community service committee, announced that she had made a shipment of stamps to Albert W. Acton at Los Angeles for the Veterans hospital. Another shipment will be made later and all stamps are valuable as they can be traded for those of foreign countries. With spring house cleaning coming the ladies were asked to save clothes, magazines, books and games that are usable. They will be given to the Dixon state school. Christmas and other greeting cards were to be turned in at Price's wall paper store on Galena avenue and will also be sent to the state school. All members working as leaders in 4-H and

Scouts were asked to keep track of their hours for the community service report.

Safety Campaign

Charles Dieterle of the agriculture committee told of a "Farm Safety Campaign" being waged by many Granges throughout the land and spoke briefly of its needs.

Sidney Buckaloo, reporting for the legislative committee, spoke briefly on "Driver's License Laws" in respect to farm implements on the highways. He said that no one could drive a motor vehicle of any kind on the highways without a driver's license and warned that anyone driving a tractor without a license was breaking the law just as much as if he were driving a car. He also told, not only of the danger of pulling a hay rack with a tractor for a "hay ride," but said that anyone doing so was leaving himself open for a law suit in case of an accident.

Leola Kunde of the home economics committee handed out booklets with the lunch committees for the year listed and also the projects of the state and national committees.

George Pitzer reported briefly for the youth committee and told of their meeting at the all county conference held recently at Paw-Paw.

Following the meeting LeRoy Miller and Claude Currans of the Rock River Production Credit association showed a film and spoke briefly on the history of their company and of the services they can render to the farmer throughout the land.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Buckaloo and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Grobe.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to discontinue farming, I will hold a complete closing out sale on the farm located 8 miles west of Sterling to Round Grove, then 1/2 mile south, then 1/2 mile east, on

Friday, February 26, 1954

12 o'clock sharp

38 -- High Grade Holsteins -- 38

This is a well bred herd, built up over the last few years by good breeding practices. Bangs tested and most head are calfshead vaccinated.

24 cows, consisting of 1st, 2nd and 3rd calf heifers; 12 springers to heavy springers; balance milking.

13 yearling heifers.

1 bull calf.

1 Holstein bull, 2 years old.

HAY and GRAIN

300 BUSHELS OATS — 1600 BALES HAY
100 BALES STRAW

FARM MACHINERY

M & M (Z) tractor; M & M (MT) tractor with 2 row cultivators; M & M 4 row cultivator; M & M 4 row corn planter with fertilizer attachment; John Deere 3-14 plow; Oliver 3-16 plow on rubber; John Deere 3-16 plow; David Bradley 10 ft. tandem disc; IHC 10 ft. tandem disc; Kewanee 4 section drag with folding draw bar; Oliver side rake; M & M 2 row corn picker; 48 ft. corn elevator; New Idea tractor; John Deere manure spreader; John Deere 5 ton wagon with steel flare box; hay rack; Bear Cat hammermill; Miller 180 amp. welder, complete; 300 gallon gas tank; hog feeder; hog waterer; 3 feed bunks.

DELAVAL 2 UNIT MILKER, complete with pipeline for 17 cows; 18 milk cans.

TERMS

I have arranged with the National Bank of Sterling to offer their usual terms. All items \$25.00 and under cash—over that amount 1/4 down and the balance in equal monthly payments. Other terms on approved security. All settlements to be made the day of sale.

CHESTER BRYAN, Owner

BELLOWS & ROGERS NATIONAL BANK OF STERLING
Auctioneers CLATE SCHUNEMAN, Clerks

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, will sell at public auction at the Ware Farm located 3 miles Northwest of Ashton, Illinois, 4 1/2 miles Northeast of Franklin Grove, Illinois, on

Thursday, Feb. 25, 1954

Sale to start at 12 o'clock

11 -- HEAD OF CATTLE -- 11

Holstein Cow; Guernsey Cow; 3 Brown Swiss Cows, all milking and artificially bred; 2 Brown Swiss one-year-old Heifers; 3 Brown Swiss 2-year-old Heifers, artificially bred; 1 Bull Calf.

26 -- HEAD HOGS -- 26

6 Hampshire Gilts to farrow April 10; 20 Hampshire Feeders, weight 140 lbs.

22 Ewes, Bred; 1 Buck

50 White Leghorn and Minorca Hens

500 bales of Clover Hay; 150 bales of Straw

100 bales Alfalfa Hay

FARM MACHINERY

1942 B John Deere Tractor; 1942 A John Deere Tractor with cultivator; Allis Chalmers Combine; Case 1-row Corn Picker, new; IH 2-bolt, 14-in. Plow; AC 14-in. Plow; IH 8-ft. Tandem Disc; AC 8 ft. Tandem Disc; 4-wheel Manure Spreader on rubber; JD 2-row Corn Planter with fertilizer attachment; JD PTO Corn Sheller, 800 bushel per hour capacity; 2-wheel Fertilizer Spreader; JD Endgate Seeder; 7 ft. Roller; 2 Rubber Tire Wagons; Hay Rack; IH Mower; 4-section Steel Drag; 2-section Wooden Drag; Hoover Hammermill; 50 ft. 8" Drive Belt; Kewanee 40 ft. Elevator; 2 Speed Jacks; Hoist; 2 Flare Boxes; 16 ft. New Portable Elevator; Potato Planter; 2-wheel Cart; One Gallon Sausage Stuffer; Small Butchering Kettle; Cowboy Tank Heater; Corn Sheller; Electric Fencer; Platform Scale; Pump Jack; Walking Plow; One Man Folding Saw; JD Lifting Jack; Drill Press; Stewart Sheep Shearer; 3 Swarms of Bees; 4-bar Honey Extractor; Honey Strainer; 15 Bee Super Boxes; Double Pump Milking Machine; 6 Milk Cans; Milk Strainer; 2 Steel and Wooden Hog Feeders; 4 Hog Troughs; 2-60 Gallon Hog Waterers; 100 Chick Electric Brooder; Several Rods Woven Wire; Log Chains; and numerous other items.

Household Goods

3 Congoleum Rugs, 9x12; Bed; Metal Cot, folding; Single Bed; Metal Cupboard Kitchen Cabinet; Lamps; Chairs; Glass Churn; Bird Cage on Stand; Mirror; Lantern; Hanging Lamp; Dishes; Tools; Writing Desk; Damascus Sewing Machine; and many other items.

TERMS: The Illinois National Bank will extend their usual favorable credit terms of 1/4 or more cash, 6 to 12 months time on the balance at 6% simple interest with monthly payments. All purchases must be settled for day of sale. Buy what you want and sign your own note.

GUY FARVER, Owner

A. W. KRUG, Auctioneer

ILLINOIS NATIONAL BANK & TRUST CO., Clerk

MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The undersigned, Master in Chancery of the Circuit Court, Lee County, Illinois, will offer for sale and sell to the highest and best bidder the following real estate, at the respective premises, on

SATURDAY, FEB. 27, 1954

Time of sale is 10:00 A. M.

280 acre farm belonging to the late Dennis Heenan, located in May Township, Illinois, 4 miles south and 3 miles west of Amboy. This farm will be offered for sale in parcels of 160 acres and 120 acres; 160 acres, 80 acres and 40 acres; and as a unit of 280 acres. 40 acres of above farm contains a very good duck pond.

SATURDAY, FEB. 27, 1954

1:30 P. M.

Eight room semi-modern residence on North Jones Avenue, Amboy, Illinois. This property is four houses North of St. Patrick's Church and only two blocks from the business district and within two blocks of the grade schools. Recently improved with insulating and siding.

SATURDAY, FEB. 27, 1954

2:30 P. M.

Eleven vacant lots located one-half block South of West Main Street and Davis Avenue, Amboy, Illinois. Good for farming or for garden plots.

Terms of Sale: 20% cash on day of sale and the balance upon the approval of the report of sale by the Circuit Court, Lee County, Illinois, and the tender of a good and sufficient deed and abstract of title.

JOHN DIXON, Master in Chancery

E. M. SULLIVAN, EDWARD A. JONES,

CIRCUIT COURT, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Attorneys

Everett Johnson, Auct.

CONSIGNMENT SALE

On the farm with the sign

MELVIN HAAK, AUCTIONEER

On blacktop between Sterling and Polo or 4 miles straight west of Woosung to blacktop, on

FRIDAY, FEB. 26th

11:30 a. m.

Come prepared to buy — There will be buys for everyone.

Property that has been consigned to this auction is comparable to the best in quality. I will assure you everything will be properly represented by the consigner. All cattle owner-consigned and out of artificial breeding, W. B. S. and N. I. B. Co.

Livestock

1 Holstein springing heifer due to freshen March 4, 2nd generation artificial breeding; 4-2 year old heifers bred to freshen early fall; 4 yearling heifers; 2-8 month old heifers; 10 calves from 10 days to 2 weeks old, artificial breeding; 2 heavy springing Holstein heifers, big and well marked; purebred Holstein bull, 10 months old, out of exceptionally good breeding, registration papers will be furnished.

Farm Equipment

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Co. Bowlers Place High In Rockford

AMBOY — (Special) — Fourteen Lee County Farm Sports Festival Bowlers traveled to Rockford Feb. 16 for participation in the district bowling tournament. Farm people from 14 different counties were in competition for district honors and participation in the state bowling tournament being held in Springfield on March 10.

Roger Tarr, Earlville, was awarded a trophy for his top score of 509 in the Open Class Men's Singles competition.

Jan Torman, Pawpaw, copped second place in the Open Class Women's Singles with a score of 433.

Other bowlers who took part are as follows:

Open Class Mixed Doubles — Lewis Shaddock, Pawpaw, and Kathryn Greenfield, Dixon.

Open Class Women's Teams — Olive Hawbaker, Pawpaw; Mabel Berl, Eldena; Erma Krenz, Pawpaw; Charlene Gibson, Pawpaw, and LaNora Ortgiesen, Dixon.

Open Class Men's Teams — Turk Gehant, West Brooklyn; Ed Bollman, Dixon; Fred Benson, Harmon; Gail Larson, Harmon, and George Jacobs, Harmon.

Roger Tarr and Jan Torman will attend the state tournament for all winners in the 16 different district tournaments.

Richard Lohse to Attend National Meet in Oklahoma

AMBOY — (Special) — Richard Lohse, Harmon, Lee county Rural Youth member, will be one of 23 outstanding Illinois Rural Youth members attending a nationwide meeting at Stillwater, Okla., Feb. 26 to March 4.

Rural Youth members will be present from all areas of United States and the meeting will include training in all parts of the Rural Youth program.

BLEW ITS TOP — Mount Rainier, according to geologists, once towered to an altitude of 16,000 feet, judging by the steep inclination of lava layers on its sides. Then a great explosion, or a succession of explosions, carried off the top of the cone, and reduced it to its present level.

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TELEGRAPH Farm Page

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4-H Club Week Will Feature Display Contest

AMBOY — (Special) — Lee County will observe National 4-H club week with a county-wide window display contest for all agriculture and home economics clubs.

Planned by the county youth committee for the first time in a contest form, the window display activity has long been an important 4-H club week feature.

The displays will occupy prominent store windows in all towns over Lee county. 4-H members will design and prepare the exhibit so that observers may learn more about 4-H club work.

The entry deadline is March 4, and all 4-H clubs have been supplied with official entry blanks.

A judging committee will go to each exhibit Monday, March 8, and rate it in an A, B or C group. Displays will be judged according to three general requirements:

- (1) power to attract attention,
- (2) power to hold interest, (3) and general appearance.

samples of their best hay and grass silage to enter in the hay and grass silage show. Entries should be exhibited in bushel baskets and delivered before 11:15 a.m.

The dairies in the county are providing a free dairy lunch. The exhibits will feature results of research work, recently completed by the department of dairy science, University of Illinois. Topics on display will be pipeline milking, simplified calf starters, raising veal, good pasture programs, making grass silage and stacks and trenches, correct milking and other practical topics.

Come to the Lee County Dairy exhibit day on Wednesday, March 3, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Dairy Day Will Feature 15 Exhibits, 2 U. of I. Experts



J. G. CASH



L. R. FRYMAN

AMBOY — (Special) — The DHIA board of directors has made final plans for the Dairy Day to be held in Lee county on March 3 in the Farm Bureau auditorium beginning at 11 a.m.

One short talk is included in the program, the rest is all seeing. The event will feature some 15 educational exhibits on dairying.

and J. G. Cash and Leo Fryman, Dairy Extension specialists from the University of Illinois college of agriculture will be on hand to answer your questions and show slide films.

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On The Rural Scene
With JIM SOMERS
Lee County Farm Adviser

Some of the best alfalfa hay I've seen was on the LeRoy Payne farm in South Dixon township. His calves have given an excellent growth on it.

I hope LeRoy will bring in a sample for the grass silage and hay show in connection with Dairy Day, March 3.

Why not bring in a sample of your best grass silage or hay in a bushel basket and try for one of the prizes. Have samples at the Farm Bureau building by 11:15 a.m.

I just received a copy of the catalogue for the dairy calf sale to be held Sat. February 27, at the University Stock pavilion. If FFA or 4-H members are interested in studying the listings they may stop in at my office to do so.

With acreage allotments, the wise choice of crops is a big question in many folks' mind. This is one of the things we'll discuss Thursday evening, Feb. 25, at our short course. The subject will be "Land use for conservation and high earnings."

Elroy Lauer was elected to the Lee County Soil Conservation District board last Friday. He replaces Glenn Albright who resigned. Re-elected were Carlton

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4-H Members to Attend Special Meet Wednesday

AMBOY — (Special) — Agriculture 4-H members from all parts of Lee county will be present at a special meeting Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. in the Lee County Farm Bureau auditorium.

Ollie Gaebe, 4-H district specialist, will be present at this meeting to help with discussion of the 4-H program.

The program for 1954 and organization of major events will be the main topics of discussion. According to Arthur W. Seeds, assistant farm adviser, both adult and junior leaders are invited to the meeting.

Feb. 25-Mar. 4 Agricultural Economics Short Course 7:30 a.m. Feb. 27 4-H and FFA Calf Sale, U. of I. Mar. 3 Dairy Day 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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Editorials

Reduced Butter Supports Is Step To Lower Farm Props

Secretary of Agriculture Benson acted with courage in deciding to cut support prices April 1 on butter and other dairy products, from the present 90 to 75 per cent of parity. If his decision is to hold, the citizen consumer and taxpayer will have to show equal gumption. For protests against the move already are loud and heavy.

Benson made the decision because existing high supports have encouraged output of milk products not for market but for storage. A year ago, government holdings of butter, cheese and dried milk corresponded to 1,440,000,000 pounds of whole milk. Today they total nearly 8,000,000,000 pounds, roughly five and a half times as much. These stocks are worth about \$300 million.

If the support price of butter is reduced as planned, Benson said the producer will get about eight cents less a pound than he is now assured. He would expect this to be translated into an equivalent drop in retail prices to the consumer.

Butter would still cost more than twice what competing margarine costs, but the narrowing gap might lure more consumers back into the butter market from which high support prices have driven them.

This move is intended, of course, to discourage excess output of products for which there is obviously no ready market. It would not settle the question what to do with existing accumulated surpluses. In fact, the government would presumably go on buying dairy products at the lower support level.

But the point is that Benson is endeavoring to make a start on one of the toughest economic problems facing the country. Including wheat, cotton and other supported products, the United States today owns or holds on loan \$6,500,000,000 worth of foods and fibers. It has literally run out of places to put these surpluses.

The protests against Benson's action center on the argument that it will reduce farm income at a time when it is already below recent par, and will thereby accentuate what some forecasters see as a gathering economic recession.

There can be no question that, by one device or another, the level of farm income must be maintained at a point sufficient to keep the "farm community" a healthy element in the nation's life. But any fair-minded citizen will acknowledge that more than one way might be found to achieve that goal.

The present system of rigid high support prices is a costly, wasteful travesty now reaching unmanageable proportions. High supports hit the citizen twice as a taxpayer and once as a consumer. As a taxpayer, he feels the bite when the government buys surpluses and then again when the government must lay out money for storage, maintenance, and the like. As a consumer, the citizen suffers in higher prices at the market.

If any logical defense can be made of this triple burden on the citizen, it has yet to be advanced. The object of a proper farm program is to assure the farmer adequate income, not to devise a method by which the citizen can be made to pay for that necessity three or four times over.

The man who now protest have no answer to continually mounting surpluses, nor to this triple burden on the citizen. The only answer they have is the one dictated by their fear of what the farmers will do to them at the polls if so much as a single sliver of bamboo is removed from the existing fantastic support structure.

Ruth Millett

It's Still Hard to Sell Tall Women on Short Men

"Men over six feet tall should marry short girls. And tall girls should avoid tall men when picking mates." That advice comes from Harvard anthropologist, Earnest A. Hooton, who says that America is raising too many tall and skinny youngsters.

Dr. Hooton says he is able to sell tall men on short girls.

But he is going to have trouble selling tall girls on short men.

Just as much as her great-grandma, the modern girl wants to be able to "look up to" her man.

But that isn't as easy as it used to be. How can a girl look up to a man as her sole means of support now that most wives either work or have the sure knowledge that they could support themselves if they had to?

HOW TO LOOK UP TO

How can a girl look up to a man as being more intelligent than she is if she has just as good an education as he has, and is just as alert about keeping up with world affairs?

How can a girl look up to a man as head of the family when chances are the family is run on the modern idea that two heads are better than one?

How can a girl look up to a man as all-wise in such matters as politics now that she decides for herself how she is going to vote?

About the only way that the modern girl can look up to her man is by choosing a man who is taller than she is.

And no anthropologist is likely to sell her on the idea that she ought to pick a man she can look down on.

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FEATURES

Jacoby on Bridge

Some Bad Hands Give Many Thrills

Certain unfortunate hands give a big thrill even if they happen to be on the wrong side of them. After a short time, the sting of defeat vanishes, and you are able to view the hand with amusement and perhaps even pride.

For example, take the case of the player who held the West cards in the hand given today. He wasn't very pleased with the results at first, but he bridged a bridge story that very few gifted players will be able to top. West made an opening lead that cost 26 tricks.

Perhaps we had better gloss over the bidding. South knew that he didn't have a real spade stopper, but he hoped that his partner had a high spade or that West wouldn't

lead the suit, or that West would underlead the ace and king.

It didn't seem to South that he had a game in diamonds (and of course he was perfectly right) and he thought that the most likely game was at no-trump. I wouldn't dream of recommending South's bid of three no-trump, but I'm glad he made it since otherwise we wouldn't have this story.

West thought that South had a stopper in spades. In this case the only chance to bring in the spade suit consisted in leading a low spade in the hope that East had two cards in the suit and East fast in the hope that East had a fourth-best spade.

South won the first spade trick, and quickly took seven diamonds and five clubs for the rest of the tricks.

If West had opened the king of spades, he would have seen the whole story very quickly. He would continue with the ace of spades and then run the rest of his seven-card suit.

East would promptly discard the worthless clubs and diamond, and shifting it clear that he wanted a shift to hearts whenever West got finished with his spades. West

North 13
AK 108
K 96
K 107
AK QJ 7

West (D) EAST
AK 76432 95
105
103
86 5432

South 13
AK QJ
AK QJ 854
109

North-South
West North East South
3 4 Double Pass 3 N.T. (3)
Pass Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead—4 6
would obediently lead the ten of hearts, whereupon East would take the rest of the tricks with hearts. The defenders would take 13 tricks instead of losing 13 tricks.

CARD SENSE
Q—The bidding has been:
North East South West
1 Heart Pass 2 Diam. Pass
3 Clubs Pass 7

You, South, hold: Spade 2, Hearts 8-6, Diamonds A-K-Q-J-8-5, Clubs K-Q-2. What do you do?

A—Bid four no-trump. Your partner has a strong hand, and you are confident of a slam if he has two or more aces. If he has only one ace, his response will be five diamonds, and you will pass.

TODAY'S QUESTION
The bidding is the same as in the question just answered.
You, South, hold: Spade 2, Hearts 8-6, Diamonds A-K-Q-J-8-5, Clubs K-Q-8-3-2. What do you do?
Answer Tomorrow

Westbrook Pegler

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NEW YORK—You may say "Well, here goes Pegler on unions again," but I am about to introduce a revolutionary idea which should clarify the minds of a great many of us who have come to regard the unions "with all their faults" as an indispensable American institution. I am about to say that the faults of this unionism are so great that it must be wiped out and replaced with something else.

It was said, with some truth, years ago that Wall Street, a generic name for big business and concentrated wealth, was the master of the government, particularly of Congress and the courts. The same is true today of the unions. They are a vast corruption, administered largely by men who are ignorant not only in the cultural sense but with particular reference to the Constitution and the political principles of our nation.

I have written, and I am confident that the fact could be demonstrated by good witnesses, that one of the two main reasons why the "government" has to pay a portion of the rent for "low-income" and "middle-income" classes, is that unions acting on their own part and unions in collusion with manufacturers and suppliers of building materials, run up the cost of building by about one-third. Knock off that third, and the cost of building a three-room or four-room apartment would come down to a price at which these "classes" can afford to pay their own rent without subsidy.

This extortion by unions and their accomplices of the building materials business is putting the federal and state governments into the land-lord business. Carried to the extreme, this will reproduce here the situation that exists in Russia and other Socialist countries where the people exist to serve the state in return for a living. Already we have experienced with free food and clothing as early whimsies of the Roosevelt reign. We may do again and make it permanent if in the coming out of the war business we hit a slump.

The simple idea of wiping out the extortion has not occurred seriously to any advocate of subsidized housing. The further fact that it is senseless to subsidize wages by the income tax to such an extent that the people can't fully pay their own rent is equally remote from the minds of those who clamor for "public housing."

Can your mind grasp a picture of the United States without the A. F. of L. and the CIO and without John L. Lewis? Fundamentally, these powers are no part of our country. They grew because our people deceived themselves into a belief that unions were holy fraternities of human beings who were virtuous because they did rough work with rough hands. These early union members were neither more nor less virtuous than any other element on that account but that is just a refiner, not an argument to the point.

The disadvantage of the individual worker dealing with a huge corporation was plain and therefore we sympathized with the concept of unionism to equalize the worker with the boss.

The opposition immediately advanced many objections but we thought that because it had selfish interests to serve, its arguments were no good. So we let this country in for the scourge of unionism which has now become a burden and a menace. The opposition said "Well, but under a flat wage scale, the indolent, inefficient worker will get the same as the diligent, competent man."

Well, isn't that true? They said that if you gave one relatively small union the power to close a key plant by a picket-line, to keep it shut, those few workers, however good or bad their cause, could paralyze a whole community and throw almost everyone else out of work. That happened in Flint, Mich., where a union threw the switches in the powerhouse. The elevators in the hospitals used to carry unconscious patients back to bed from the operating rooms, and even the operating rooms, went dead. And, actually, there was no vote for a strike by the power-house workers. They would have worked as usual but the "union" pulled the switches and then the interlopers from out of town who spoke for the union went into hiding so that the city manager could not find them to "negotiate." Nobody dared close the switches because unions were above the law, so the town was dead, as far as electric light and power were concerned until the unionists decided that Flint had been taught a lesson.

This could happen again any day. In fact, similar events are daily routine. Pickets shoot men for driving trucks without union permission. Out of a trucking company is driven out of Alabama to take refuge in Georgia. A hatters' union takes it upon itself, by decision of a few unionists with offices in New York, to prevent a new hat industry from settling in Tennessee or Kansas which are sovereign American states. The union undertakes to chain the hat factories to Connecticut because its members there cannot conveniently pack up and follow their jobs to Tennessee or Kansas.

A similar movement of textile factories from Massachusetts to the southern tier meets similar resistance. The labor relations board, by autocratic order of a petty bureaucratic, tries to prevent this

flow of industry and commerce from one state to another by pronouncing a "sentence" which would make the expense of the move greater than the possible profit. Senator Jack Kennedy, of Massachusetts, went into the southern tier to argue against the economic wisdom of the move and he did have some points which impressed some southern industrialists.

But the unions and the Labor Relations Board never takes chances on arguments. All they know is power. The club. So the new industrial South is coming into another sectional scrap with the old industrial North fomented by unions which never pay any taxes, hold no mandate from any representative element of the people and are both irresponsible and arrogant.

These unions represent only a small proportion of our workers, but they challenge and abuse all of us. They are supposed to represent even those few only as wage-slaves, to agree on wages, hours and working conditions. Actually, their "members" are now subjects and many of them are kept in thrall by the closed shop which is supposed to be illegal. Incidentally, the worst of offenders in that respect is the Musicians union and, further dramatic in the flagrancy, Chief Justice Warren recently wrote warm greetings to Jimmy Pettilio and the union, all knowingly.

I do not know what the new form of workers' protective aggregation should be. I do know, however, that the present kind is frightfully wasteful of human life, taking man-hours of energy at work as a measure of human life. It is too big and rich and abusive to be tolerated by a free people and a sovereign government. It must be broken.

Several readers have asked for a discussion of the problems peculiar to what is known as middle age. The devotion of life into childhood, youth, middle age and old age is an arbitrary process. Beginning in birth, and the health problems connected with each so-called period of life differ only slightly from those of the next younger group.

In general, however, there are some differences between the physical qualities and needs of those at different ages. An 18-year-old boy can ordinarily run a mile without physical trouble, but no man in his right senses, who had not kept in strict training, would do this in his fifties. The same kind of thing is also true with women.

More sleep is often needed by the person in the late thirties or early forties than in the early twenties. Other things are in proportion. This should not be considered abnormal. The body merely needs more rest and time to restore its powers.

One correspondent wrote that she was 47, and although married and having children, held a little silly and a little foolish.

In Hollywood

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By
ERSKINE
JOHNSON

HOLLYWOOD — (NEA) — Close-ups and Longshots: People are funny—and so are movie stars. A top Hollywood character actress selected her own coffin at a local cemetery a box to try it for size. The salesman hasn't been the same since.

For executives who tried to talk Marion Brando into playing the physician role in "The Egyptian" didn't lift an eyebrow when his psychiatrist reported he was too ill to work. While they argued with Brando about the role, he showed them magic tricks!

Now that the ghost riders are out of sight, it's ghost hemstitchers in the sky.

A couple of producers were set back an extra \$25,000 to re-shoot key scenes in a just previewed movie. Instead of buying a new sky backdrop, they ordered a torn one sewed up. The first sneak preview found audiences howling at the expense of sky with visible stitching down the middle.

Overheard at the Famous Restaurant: "He's really a very important person—when he's sober."

Add zany new names of actors making the rounds of studio casting offices: Marion Monroe and Dick O'Shea.

RECK KNIGHT CASE
Sgt. Joe Fridman covers a movie set—"The Trisman."

"Went to Stage 15 at Warners. Talked to Director David Butler. He was cooperative. He took me behind a palm tree and showed me a dead Castilian knight. His throat was slit. Butler said Rex Harrison did it. Talked with Rex Harrison. He came clean. Said he was riding peacefully through his own oasis when this Castilian knight tried to ride him down and puncture him with a lance.

"That made it his move. He pulled knight from his horse. Ran a scimitar over his windpipe. Knight went to Assistant Director Orin Haglund and said he had been killed. Haglund signed his pay voucher and sent him home. Ran a marking on his record. He was clear. No overacting on his record. Went back to Romanoff's."

A couple of old movies on TV are blunders for Alan Ladd and Yvonne de Carlo.

In one Ladd leads an orchestra and sings, "I Look at You," and in the other Yvonne, clad in a nightgown, warbles "Lamp of Emery."

Before the "Came Comedy"

RADIO

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON
3:00 WGN—N. Kjaest. News
WMAQ—Backstage wife
WENR—Records for You
WED—News; Record Shop
WJJD—News; Piano
WCFL—Bob Elson
3:05 WGN—Earl Nightingale
3:15 WMAQ—Stella Dallas
WBEM—King's Jesters
3:25 WMAQ—Income Tax
3:30 WGN—Earl Nightingale
WMAQ—Widder Brown
WBEM—M. J. Bennett
WENR—Bill Anson
3:45 WMAQ—Women in House
WBEM—Gold Coast
4:00 WGN—News; S. Dowell
WBEM—Paul Gibson
WENR—Bill Anson
WMAQ—Bill Anson
WMAQ—News; Goodman
WCFL—Outer Drive
4:05 WGN—Saxie Dowell
4:15 WMAQ—Front Page Farrell
4:30 WGN—Saxie Dowell
WMAQ—Lorenzo Jones
WENR—Bill Anson
4:45 WMAQ—Frank Reynolds
WMAQ—Wed Howard
5:00 WGN—Presion of Yukon
WBEM—Alan Jackson
WMAQ—News; S. Dowell
WENR—Bill Anson
WCFL—News; R. Flanagan
WMAQ—Night News
5:15 WBEM—J. Harrington
WMAQ—Alex Dreier
5:30 WGN—Sky King
WBEM—Curt Massey
WENR—Turner, news
5:45 WBEM—Thomas, news
WMAQ—John Holtman
WENR—Bill Anson
5:55 WGN—C. Brown, news

EVENING
6:00 WGN—Fulton J. Lewis
WBEM—Fulton J. Lewis
WMAQ—Alex Dreier
WENR—News; music
WLS—Vandercook
WCFL—Bob Elson
6:15 WGN—Nichols, news
WBEM—Seulah
WMAQ—Joe Wilson
WLS—Prairie Farmer
6:20 WMAQ—Intermezzo
6:30 WGN—Gabriel Heatter
WLS—Capt. Starr
WBEM—J. Harrington
WMAQ—Bertie, news
WENR—Sports Review
6:45 WGN—Perry Como
WMAQ—One Man's Family
WBEM—Julian Bentley
6:55 WLS—News
7:00 WMAQ—Hammer Guy
WENR—People Are Funny
WLS—Perry Como
WMAQ—Dinah Shore
WCFL—Pan American
WENR—News; Hits
7:15 WMAQ—Frank Sinatra
7:30 WGN—The Cisco Kid
WMAQ—Barrie Farmer
WBEM—Mr. and Mrs. North
WLS—Country Junction
WCFL—Bob Elson
8:00 WGN—Bill Anson, news
WBEM—Johnny Dollar
WMAQ—Dragnet

North-South

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North-South
West North East South
3 4 Double Pass 3 N.T. (3)
Pass Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead—4 6
would obediently lead the ten of hearts, whereupon East would take the rest of the tricks with hearts. The defenders would take 13 tricks instead of losing 13 tricks.

CARD SENSE
Q—The bidding has been:
North East South West
1 Heart Pass 2 Diam. Pass
3 Clubs Pass 7

You, South, hold: Spade 2, Hearts 8-6, Diamonds A-K-Q-J-8-5, Clubs K-Q-2. What do you do?

A—Bid four no-trump. Your partner has a strong hand, and you are confident of a slam if he has two or more aces. If he has only one ace, his response will be five diamonds, and you will pass.

TODAY'S QUESTION
The bidding is the same as in the question just answered.
You, South, hold: Spade 2, Hearts 8-6, Diamonds A-K-Q-J-8-5, Clubs K-Q-8-3-2. What do you do?
Answer Tomorrow

On the Air Waves

ACROSS
1 Radio and television personality—Johnston
7 He is a
13 The East
14 Interference
15 Machinery part
16 Merit badges
17 Symbol for tin (pl.)
18 Knock column
20 Separate column
21 Silenced
25 Italian condiment
28 Click-beetle
32 Feminine appellation
33 Oily ketone
34 Frozen
35 Greek letter
36 Cubic meters
38 Shepherd
39 Discoveries
41 Soapwort (ab.)
44 Organ of hearing
45 Royal British sculptor (ab.)
48 Pompous show
51 Scag bird
54 Made amends
55 Church festival
56 Fortifications
57 European crimes
DOWN
1 Smallest particles
2 Algebraic exponent

3 Bodily parts
4 Fiber knots
5 Compass point
6 Chemical oxide
7 Specimen
8 Anger
9 Diminutive of Edgar
10 Purpose
11 Feminine appellation
12 Pause
13 Indian mulberry
19 Irony
22 Barbers
23 Nullifier
24 Challengers
25 Labels
26 The dill
27 Measure of length
28 Related
30 Grated (her.)
31 Erect
37 Hurries
38 Demigods
40 Medical suffix
41 Mast
42 Top of head
43 Trampled
45 List
46 Internal decay
47 Weights
48 India
49 Collection of sayings
50 Low haunt
51 Mast
52 Rodent
53 Locality (comb. form)

The Doctor Says:

Slowing Bodily Processes Should Be Taken in Stride

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

Several readers have asked for a discussion of the problems peculiar to what is known as middle age. The devotion of life into childhood, youth, middle age and old age is an arbitrary process. Beginning in birth, and the health problems connected with each so-called period of life differ only slightly from those of the next younger group.

In general, however, there are some differences between the physical qualities and needs of those at different ages. An 18-year-old boy can ordinarily run a mile without physical trouble, but no man in his right senses, who had not kept in strict training, would do this in his fifties. The same kind of thing is also true with women.

More sleep is often needed by the person in the late thirties or early forties than in the early twenties. Other things are in proportion. This should not be considered abnormal. The body merely needs more rest and time to restore its powers.

One correspondent wrote that she was 47, and although married and having children, held a little silly and a little foolish.

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Corinne Calvet is going ooh-la-la about her covered-up role as Jimmie Stewart's leading lady in U-I's "The Far Country."

In this part, I dress in boy's clothes. I "hide my lips and everything. No make-up, no mascara. Een zie business, you 'ave to show zem you act. Otherwise, say sink if you wear a size 36 bra and move you 'ips, zat you cannot act."

What's Right?
Your beauty shop operator works on a tight schedule. So if your appointment is for nine o'clock, don't think it is all right if you arrive at ten. One late customer can throw an operator off schedule for a whole day. Be courteous enough not to be the customer who ruins the schedule.

Remember what Grandma used to say: "Handsome is as handsome does."

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Plans are rapidly being completed for this year's Hollywood Breakfast to be held Thursday, April 1, in Loveland Community House, Dixon. Mrs. Charles Edous is general chairman of the much looked forward to event which is being sponsored by the American Legion auxiliary. Mrs. Richard Hammarstrom is co-chairman.

This is the ninth annual Hollywood Breakfast in Dixon and the third one to be sponsored by the Legion auxiliary. Mrs. Edous has been chairman all nine years.

Mrs. Theodore R. Mason will have charge of the kitchen and Mrs. H. F. Walder, the dining room. Mrs. Clinton Holderman is in charge of tickets, which will be available from the auxiliary members after March 15.

Beginning at 11 a. m. the entire event will last no longer than one hour and a half.

Hat Judges
In a repeat performance, John Cahill will be master of ceremonies. Mrs. Myrtle Bishop will be pianist. Hat judges will be: Dale Flynn, State's Atty. James E. Bales, Norm Wallin and Ray Clinite.

Among the attractions at the breakfast will be the wishing ring, and the good neighbor letter. There will be prizes for the largest, smallest, prettiest and most original hats. These hats must be of street size.

Also receiving gifts will be: The eldest guest, newest bride, newest mother, the guest with the most children, the one with the most grandchildren, the person having traveled the longest distance to attend the breakfast, the person with the nearest wedding anniversary and the guest having a birthday on the day of the breakfast.

All gifts are the donations of local merchants.

Palmyra Grange

Palmyra Grange will have a social meeting at 8:30 p. m. Thursday in the Grange hall. The program will be presented by the agricultural committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zigler will show pictures of the Holy Land. All grangers interested in the bus trip are asked to please attend the meeting for further details.

Nearly 80 people attended the Palmyra Grange dance last Friday evening. The next dance will be a St. Patrick's dance on March 17.

MOTHERS' STUDY CLUB

The Mothers' Study club will meet Wednesday evening, Feb. 24, in the home of Mrs. Elwyn Martin. There will be a 6:30 o'clock scramble supper.

Mrs. C. L. Nunemaker and Mrs. Dale Russman will be assisting hostesses.

Members are reminded to bring their own table service.

Methodist Circle D Holds Meeting In Loveland House

Mrs. Forrest Trautwein entertained Circle D of the Methodist church with a 1:30 o'clock dessert luncheon last Thursday in Loveland Community house. The attractively decorated tea table was graced with a cloth of red and cherry tree centerpiece. Mrs. Vernon Mays presided and Mrs. W. L. Stitzel served the cherry tarts.

Assisting hostesses were: Mrs. E. J. Brown, Mrs. J. R. Reynolds, Mrs. Harold Rorer, Mrs. Harold Burbank, Mrs. Minnie Cook and Mrs. Vernon Mays.

President, Mrs. H. F. Ware, presided and opened the meeting with a poem.

Mrs. B. R. Jacobson, program chairman, introduced Mrs. B. J. Frazer and she presented Miss Carol Schreiner who sang, "I Love Thee" and "Make Believe," accompanied at the piano by Miss Eleanor Pires. Miss Joan Franklin played two piano solos.

Mrs. Fred E. Ball, membership chairman, gave a report on the pledges, stating only five were yet to come.

Thank you notes were acknowledged from: Mrs. Fred E. Ball, Mrs. Jacob Wohnke, Mrs. D. G. Palmer and for Mrs. Vernon Mays. Mrs. Fred Brauer was reported on the sick list.

Mrs. Ware stated Rev. Blomquist needed two more helpers for the Sunday census. Mrs. Millard Shank and Mrs. Lester Spencer were named to help in this work.

Mrs. Paul Miller presented the devotionals and followed with a prayer.

The final and last three chapters of the study book were presented by Mrs. George Walker. She stated at the next meeting there will be a review of the entire book with a question and answer period.

Mrs. Ware stated the next meeting would be held in her home with a scramble dinner at noon, the committee to furnish the meat. Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Blomquist are to be guests at this meeting.

The committee named to assist Mrs. Ware at this meeting is as follows: Mrs. Myron Willey, Mrs. B. R. Jacobson, Mrs. Julia Beels, Mrs. Leslie Coss, Mrs. Floy Holtenbeck, Mrs. James Ketchin, Mrs. Charles Swegle and Mrs. Lester Spencer.

ST. LUKE'S GUILD

St. Luke's Guild will meet at 8 p. m. Thursday in the Guild hall. Hostesses will be: Mrs. William Stabler and Mrs. R. R. Dwyre. The program will be presented by Mrs. Grover Gehant who will tell and show pictures of the Gehant's European trip.

The MATURE PARENT

"PREPARATION" STEALS CHILD'S EXPERIENCE IN REAL WONDER

By MURIEL LAWRENCE



A great American critic, Stuart Sherman, once said this about imagination: "Tranquility is restored only when . . . our lawless imagination yields to the sway of . . . the representative of reason."

The wise Greeks agreed with him. They symbolized imagination in a winged horse, beautiful, but so unruly that only the bravest man could bridle and make him obedient.

This column is for a six-year-old boy's parents who make a practice of over-stimulating his beautiful, but unruly faculty of imagination.

For example, they recently learned that the circus was coming to their city. As John had never seen one, they bought tickets, eager to enjoy his reactions to it. Then they set themselves to "preparing" him for the great experience.

Every evening, John's father would tell him about the feats of dancing elephants, lion tamers and seal which juggle balls, and he would draw crayon pictures of clowns in baggy pants, walking on stilts.

Suddenly inspired, his mother would cry, "But we've forgotten the trapeze performers, Bill!" And while she interrupted herself to remind John to drink his milk, she would describe how the aerialists would swing over his head in beautiful clothes that sparkled like diamonds.

John did not enjoy the circus. He was too exhausted to react to it at all. The night before, he got no sleep and at breakfast, he could keep no food in his stomach.

No reality he saw at the circus could give him joyous wonder. For as John had no reason by which to bridle his lawless imagination, it had already produced a circus for him with which no circus on this earth could compete.

So if we are planning a first party, visit to the zoo, rodeo or circus—any new experience in real wonder—let's keep our "preparation" to the merest sketch of what's coming.

They will make fabulous stuff of practically everything we say, without any encouragement from us. What John made out of the tales of dancing elephants and flying people in diamond clothes, heaven only knows. We mortals can only understand why his poor stomach had to reject the reality as it approached.

I hope we see that we stole John's experience in real wonder from him. I hope we won't do it again. For it's just as unfair as though we ate his ice cream or opened his Christmas presents for him.

ST. AGNES GUILD

St. Agnes Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the Guild hall. Mrs. R. E. Toot will be hostess.

Members are reminded to return their "Bricks for Chase House" at this meeting. Members are also asked to bring lengths of cotton for slips and sun-suits.

WALTON COMMUNITY CLUB

The Walton Community club will meet at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the Walton hall.

There are almost four miles of thread in a pair of women's stockings.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

The Women of the Moose will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in the Moose hall. Candidates will be voted on at this time.

Everyone is asked to bring a sack lunch. Reports due are: publicity, Mooseheart alumni, library, ritual and hospital.

HAM SUPPER

Harmen Methodist Church
Wednesday, Feb. 24th
Adults \$1.25 Children 65c
5 to 7 p. m.

Social Calendar

Tonight

Dixon Music club in home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Snow. 8 o'clock. Licensed Practical Nurses association of Illinois, Division 3, in Erlander Museum, Rockford. 7:30 o'clock.

Job's Daughters in Dixon Masonic Temple. 6:30 o'clock scramble supper and initiation.

Gamma Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority in Loveland Community House. 8 o'clock.

Xi Beta Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority in home of Mrs. Gene Krahenbuhl. 8 o'clock.

Women of the Moose in the Moose hall. 8 o'clock.

Wednesday

Legion auxiliary in the Legion hall. 8 p. m.

Woosung Woman's club with Mrs. Paul Kesselring. Noon scramble dinner.

South Central PTA with a 6:30 o'clock scramble supper.

Young Mothers club, husbands' night, at the Elks club. 6:30 o'clock scramble dinner.

Mothers Study club in home of Mrs. Elwyn Martin. 6:30 o'clock scramble dinner.

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Walton Community club in Walton hall. 8 p. m.

Mothers of World War II to sew in the home of Mrs. E. J. Brown. 9 a. m.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

Dixon Unit No. 12 of the American Legion auxiliary will meet at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the Legion hall.

World Day of Prayer Service Planned for March 5, in Dixon

World Day of Prayer will be observed in Dixon March 5, in the First Christian church, beginning at 2 p. m.

"That They May Have Life" is the theme for the service which will be led by Mrs. Donald Littlejohn. Sixteen Dixon and vicinity churches sponsor and participate in this service.

The committee in charge of this year's program is: Mrs. C. L. Stauffer, chairman, First Christian church; Mrs. H. B. Klatt, secretary, First Baptist church; Mrs. John Nelson, treasurer, Bethel Evangelical church, and Mrs. Donald McWethy, publicity chairman, St. Paul's Lutheran church.

From Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herbst of White Rock returned Monday evening from their wedding trip to Miami, Fla. They made the trip via air. While in Florida they saw Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller, Dixon, who are vacationing there.

Harry and the former Miss Mae Satterfield of Mt. Morris were wed Feb. 14, in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Dixon.

Eta Chi Party

When Eta Chi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority held a card party last Thursday evening in Loveland Community House the following were winners: bridge, Betty Feltes, high, and Elizabeth Wilcox, low; 500, Rosalind Smith, high and Henrietta Miller, low; samba, Mrs. Louis Snow, high, and Mrs. Ed Mack, low; canasta, Eileen Huffman, high and Laura Long, low and pinochle, Gertrude Youngman, high and Mary Sanford, low. Mrs. Robert Schmitt was also a prize winner.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served by the members.

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News From Nash to Rock America!

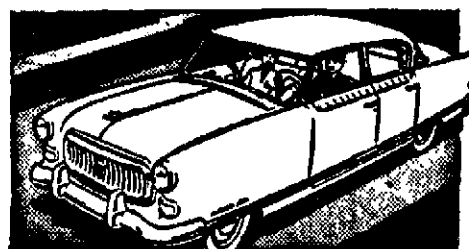
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Three pennies were attached to the unsigned postcard with gummed tape.

Judge Rules Wards Must Pay Union

\$250,000 Damages Awarded CIO in Chicago Court

CHICAGO (AP)—Municipal Judge Joseph B. Hermes today ordered Montgomery Ward & Co. to pay \$250,000 in attorney's fees and \$250,000 damages to a CIO union that, he ruled, the company maliciously attempted to destroy.

The judgement was among the largest in the history of Chicago's Municipal Court.

The award went to the United Mail Order, Warehouse and Retail Employees union.

Membership Drops
The union's membership at Wards dropped in 10 years from 4,000 to 70. The union no longer represents Ward employees.

The damages covered the period from June 25, 1945, when a temporary injunction was issued against the union prohibiting it from making statements against the company in union publications, until May 13, 1948, when the United States Supreme Court ruled in favor of the union.

The attorney fees dated back to November 1943 when Wards filed a one million dollar libel suit against the union.

Judge Hermes ruled the damages were for loss of membership by the union, loss of dues and general expenses in fighting Wards' injunction.

Sued For \$800,000
The union originally sued for \$800,000 in the suit filed last April but an additional \$250,000 in punitive damages was asked during the course of the trial.

The union was certified as bargaining agent in 1942 but the company at first refused to bargain, said Atty. Francis Hessler representing the union. The National Labor Relations Board ordered Wards to enter into a one year contract with the union and this was signed Dec. 6, 1952.

In fighting the 1945 injunction, the union contended it violated state and federal constitutional provisions for freedom of the press. The union originally attempted to sue for damages in 1948 but the Superior Court refused to hear the case.

Filed In April
The present suit then was filed in Municipal Court in April against \$1,000 bond the company had put up in the original injunction suit. The union maintained the bond was merely a token as the company could afford to pay the damages.

Judge Hermes overruled a motion by Wards today to vacate the judgment, but set March 4 as the date for a hearing for a new trial. Wards also made a motion for an arrest of judgment which would prevent the order from taking effect. This motion also will be disposed of March 4.

Obituaries

ALVA C. LEONARD

MT. MORRIS (Special)—Alva C. Leonard, 65, died Monday night in his home, 18½ W. Main st., Mt. Morris, of a heart attack. He had been employed two years in the engineering department of Kable Printing company.

He was born Jan. 24, 1889, in Potomac, the son of Benjamin and Emma (Possey) Leonard. He married Marie Wilmer, Peru, in Cedar Rapids, Neb.

He was a member of Hoopston Masonic lodge, Hoopston, and OES, Mt. Morris.

Survivors are his widow; two daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Perkins, Princeton, and Mrs. Doris Coe, Granville, and four grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Finch funeral home, Mt. Morris, conducted by the OES. The body will be taken to Wertz funeral home, Peru, for services Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial will be in Peru city cemetery.

Deaths

WILLIAM FREESE

William Freese, 85, died early this morning in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bothe, Rt. 4, Dixon. Formerly of Walkerton, Ind., Mr. Freese, an uncle of Clarence Bothe, had resided with the Bothes the past year.

Funeral arrangements are being completed at the Preston funeral home, Dixon.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all friends and relatives who remembered me with cards, gifts and calls while ill at home and a patient at the Ambey Hospital.
Mrs. Olive Vogel.



FIGURE IN CONTROVERSY—Brig. Gen. Ralph W. Zwicker (above), commanding officer of Camp Kilmer, N. J., poses at his desk. In Washington Sen. McCarthy made public the transcript of a stormy closed-door hearing in New York in which he told Gen. Zwicker that the army's promotion and honorable discharge of an alleged Communist major was "a tremendous disgrace to the army." The senator also told the general he was not fit to wear his uniform and that "you should be removed from any command." (AP wirephoto)

STOCKS

The following listed on the New York Stock Exchange. This service is provided by the firm of Hulburd, Warren & Chandler, Dixon.

At 1 Prev. p.m. Cl.	
Allis Chalmers	48 1/4
Amer T & T	40 1/2
Anacostia Copper	31 1/2
Beth Steel	54 1/2
Boeing Aircraft	57 1/2
Borden	59 1/2
J. I. Case	15 1/2
Central Ill Sec	37 1/2
Chrysler	57 1/2
Comw Edl	38 1/2
Deere & Co	28 1/2
DuPont	40 3/4
Gen Elec	96 3/4
Gen Foods	57 1/2
Gen Motors	62 1/2
Goodyear	58 1/2
Ill Cent	82 1/2
Int Harv	30 1/2
Kaiser Alum	28 1/2
Kenn Copper	70 1/2
LaSalle Ext	7 1/2
Mont Ward	61 1/2
Nash Kely	13 1/2
North Am Life	112 1/2
N Y C	23 1/2
N Y C Penny	no sale
Pen R R	17 1/2
Radio Corp	25 1/2
Sinclair	37 1/2
Socony Vac	38 1/2
Std N J	77 1/2
Swift	43 1/2
Tampax	27 1/2
United Fruit	47 1/2
U S Steel	40 1/2
Wichita Oil	5 1/2
Bonds	
N Y C 5's-2013	78 1/2
N Y C 4 1/2's-2013	72 1/2
N Y C 4's-1998	66 1/2
Prev.	
Dow Jones Av. Close	291.07
Industrials	102.38
Rails	54.39
Utilities	150.00
Volume	1,510,000

MARKETS

Markets at a Glance

(By the Associated Press)

Stocks: Lower, irregularly encountered.
Bonds: Irregular, government is easy.
Cotton: Steady, trade buying.
CHICAGO
Wheat: Firm, new crop at seasonal highs, dust storms.
Corn: Firm, cash grain receipts rather light.
Oats: Mixed, held back by ease in cash market.
Soybean: Very strong, new peak since 1951; bean meal strong.
Hogs: Slow, 25 to 30 cents lower, lot \$26.35.
Cattle: Steers steady to 50 cents down; top \$27.00.

Chicago Livestock

(By the Associated Press)

Sale of 100-300 lb hogs 9.50; most choice 180-230 lb butchers 25.75-26.25; one load 26.35; most 240-280 lb 25.00-25.75; with 280-310 lb 24.50-25.00; most sows 20.50-23.00.
Salable cattle 10,000; calves 500, a few sales in cash market. Choice grade 1,000-1,300 lb steers 25.50 to 27.00; most good and choice steers 20.00-25.00; utility to low good 14.00-18.00; a load of choice and prime 1,025 lb mixed steers and heifers 20.00-23.00; utility to low good 13.00-18.00; utility and commercial bulls 13.00-15.50; commercial to choice vealers 16.00-28.00; cull and utility 10.00-16.00.
Salable sheep 2,500; good and choice wooled slaughter lambs 110 lb down 20.50-21.50; choice and prime grades similar weights at 21.75-22.25; cull to low good lambs 14.00-20.00; choice and prime 97 and 98 lb fall shorn lambs 21.00-22.00; cull to choice slaughter sheep 6.00-9.50.
Estimated salable livestock receipts for Wednesday are 7,000 hogs; 12,000 cattle and 3,000 sheep.

Chicago Cash Grain

(By the Associated Press)

Cash wheat: No. 2 red 2.18 1/2; No. 1 yellow 1.56; No. 2 at 1.55 1/2-56; No. 3 1.53 1/2-55; sample grade 1.40-51 1/2; No. 2 white 1.65. Oats: Sample grade medium heavy white 74 1/2; No. 1 white 77 1/2 to 79 1/2; No. 1 heavy white 80 1/2-81.

Billy Graham Gets London Headlines

LONDON (AP)—Billy Graham continued to make headlines in London newspapers today. One paper said British firms had been asked to kick in 50,000 pounds (\$140,000) to pay for his three-month evangelistic crusade. Another reported 20,000 pounds (\$56,000) already had been collected.

Graham himself was due in Southampton aboard the liner United States.

The Laborite Daily Herald, which got up in arms last weekend because of an unflattering reference to socialism in Graham's advertising calendar, said the subscription call had gone to 6,000 British firms, to "help hot-gospeller Billy Graham save us from sin."

The Herald's front-page article was entitled "Bill Sends Round the Hat."

Quotes Treasurer
The Evening News quoted Graham's campaign treasurer, British motor industrialist Alfred Owen, as saying 20,000 pounds already has been collected in five weeks from "industrial sources" and private "prayer partners."

A spokesman for Graham's London "crusade headquarters" declined to comment on the newspaper reports of fund appeals.

The Daily Mail said with considerable awe that Graham's London office looks "like the inside of a military headquarters at zero hour," with 40 assistants working in a room lined with a huge map studded with pins marking church "targets."

The News Chronicle and other newspaper reported that the British Broadcasting Corp. as asked Graham to appear on a television program with his signers on Sunday, March 21.

All in all, the evangelist was causing a major stir in the British capital. Brightly painted posters pronounced his coming from billboards, London's double-decker buses and the walls of the city's subway stations.

Call It "Insult"

The Herald, which has been paying the closest attention to Graham's visit, last Saturday attacked what it called the evangelist's "insult" to British Laborites in an advertising calendar.

The calendar said "socialism" had emptied British churches after Hitler's bombs had failed to do that. Graham, in telephone calls from the liner, apologized for what he said was "a horrible mistake." He said the word should have been "secularism," not "socialism."

KSB Hospital

Admitted: Mrs. Alice Novak, Rock Falls; David Whitcomb, Jack Garrison, Mrs. Rita Gracey, and Connie Sue Helfrich, Dixon, and Mrs. Rita Hart, Amboy.
Discharged: Mrs. Inge Fleming, Mrs. Mary True, Mrs. Gladys Maronde, Mrs. Mary Peterson and Mrs. Marjorie Fisher, Dixon, and Mrs. Helen Linton, Polo.

WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Woman's Bible class of the Methodist church will meet with a 1:30 o'clock dessert luncheon Thursday in the home of Mrs. Charles Swim, 1414 Third st.

Assisting hostesses will be: Mrs. J. H. Wadsworth, Mrs. Martha Gray, Mrs. William Powell, Mrs. Mary Deutsch, Mrs. Florence Franks and Miss Mary Ransom.

The first type of fire-fighting equipment were mammoth syringes, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

No. 3 77 1/2-79; No. 4 77 1/2; sample grade white 75. Soybeans none.
Barley nominal; malting 1.20-62; feed 52-1.00. Flax seed per 100 lb nominal, white clover 10.25-10.75; red top 57.00-58.00; alsike 17.00 to 18.00; timothy 12.50-13.50; red clover 27.00-28.00.

Today's Grain Range

CHICAGO, Feb. 23—(AP)

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
WHEAT				
May	2.16 1/2	2.14 1/2	2.16	2.14 1/2
Jul	2.18 1/2	2.15 1/2	2.17 1/2	2.15 1/2
Sep	2.14 1/2	2.11	2.13 1/2	2.11 1/2
Dec	2.17 1/2	2.13 1/2	2.16	2.13 1/2
May	2.20 1/2	2.17	2.19 1/2	2.16 1/2
CORN				
May	1.51 1/2	1.50 1/2	1.51 1/2	1.50 1/2
Jul	1.53 1/2	1.52 1/2	1.53 1/2	1.52 1/2
Sep	1.54 1/2	1.53 1/2	1.54 1/2	1.53 1/2
Dec	1.52 1/2	1.51 1/2	1.52 1/2	1.51 1/2
May	1.44 1/2	1.43 1/2	1.44 1/2	1.43 1/2
MATS				
May	76 1/2	75 1/2	75 3/4	76 1/2
Jul	75 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Sep	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
SOYBEANS				
May	3.39	3.28 1/2	3.38	3.29 1/2
Jul	3.40 1/2	3.30 1/2	3.37 1/2	3.31
Sep	3.38	3.28	3.35 1/2	3.28 1/2
Nov	2.72 1/2	2.67 1/2	2.71 1/2	2.67
Dec	2.49 1/2	2.45 1/2	2.49 1/2	2.45

Chicago Produce

(By the Associated Press)

Butter steady; receipts 2,172,558. Wholesale buying prices unchanged 88¢ AA 65; 92¢ A 65; 90¢ B 62 1/2; 88¢ C 61.5; cars 90¢ B 63; 89¢ C 62.5.
Eggs weak; receipts 26,214 with wholesale buying price 1 to 1 1/2 cent lower; U. S. large 41.5; U. S. medium 40; U. S. standards 40; current receipts 39.5; checks and dirty 36.5.
Live poultry steady; receipts 1,200 coops on Monday; 750 on Tuesday; f.o.b. paying prices unchanged; heavy hens 28-31; light hens 18-20; fryers and broilers 22-25; old roosters 16-18.
Poultry arrivals \$35 on track 429; total U. S. shipments for Friday 853; Saturday 668; Sunday, none; Monday 462; old stock supplies moderate, demand fair, market slightly weaker, Idaho russets 28-30; 10-12; 8-10; 8-10; new stock supplies moderate, demand moderate, market about steady; Idaho round reds 32.30.



RUGGED PIGEON—This pigeon was spotted walking along the roof of a house in Memphis, Tenn., with a 24-inch arrow through its body. The arrow entered the back and just barely emerged at the chest. A humane shelter officer caught the bird and removed the target arrow. The pigeon apparently was little worse off because of the experience. It was taken to the shelter for observation. (AP wirephoto)



NOT DAYDREAMING—When things slow up for Brian Van Dale, left, as other boys recite their lessons, he can always turn to the mathematical equations above him. Brian, a 10th-grade student at Country Day School in Norton, Mass., has an I. Q. of 185. The intelligence quotient of a genius is 140. Brian speaks several languages, and is proficient in Hebrew, Arabic, Greek and French. He expects to be ready for college when he's 10, but may be held back until he's 12, when school officials believe he will be more emotionally equipped for higher education.



POSING POOCH—"Bucko," a Norwegian elkhound, makes a perfect model for students at the T. T. Minor school in Seattle, Wash. The children, left to right: Kazuhiko Mihara, Glenn Wickstrom, Lena Campbell, and Harry Yoshimura are making clay models of their pet animals for an exhibition.

SOCIETY NEWS

PTA of Lincoln, Woodworth Has Fathers' Night

The Lincoln-Woodworth P.T.A. held its February meeting recently in the school auditorium.

Mrs. Don Campbell, president, gave a brief biographical sketch of Mrs. Alice McLellan Birney, founder of the Parent Teacher Association.

As February is also designated as Fathers' Night by the local unit, Mrs. Campbell extended a warm welcome to the fathers attending.

Election of the nominating committee was held with Mrs. Frank Kellar, Mrs. Pius Burgard and Mrs. Kenneth Long elected to this committee.

Miss Lorraine Missman, program chairman, showed a film, "Skippy and the 3 R's."

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gasmund, Rev. and Mrs. Olden Mitchell, Miss Maurine Smith, Mrs. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Johnson, Miss Nan McGinnis and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Doran.

Picture Framing Requires Skill

Most pictures you buy in department stores or art shops are ready to hang on your wall. But if you buy by mail from a museum, the picture will probably need to be framed.

Home furnishings specialist, Dorothy Iwig of the University of Illinois, says some homemakers frame their own pictures, while others feel that they lack the skill and patience to do a really good job.

If you take your picture to a professional for framing, he will help you decide which frame and mat will do most for the picture. Remember that a frame should set off the picture, not dominate it. Today's trend is toward simple frames.

Mats are usually not used for oil paintings, and oil paintings are not covered with glass. But water colors and reproductions need glass to protect them from the dust, and they usually have mats.

March 1, to Jefferson school at 11 a.m. and Washington school at 1 p.m.

The 13th district meeting of the Mothers of World War II will be held March 24, in Oregon.

The Mothers of World War II will sew Wednesday in the home of Mrs. E. J. Brown beginning at 9 a.m. There will be a sack lunch at noon.

Pittsburgh Children Get First Polio Shots Today

Vaccine Administered by Discoverer, Dr. Jonas Salk

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The first batch of city school youngsters today received their injections of Salk's vaccine—science's first best hope of conquering polio.

Dr. Jonas Salk, discoverer of the vaccine, administered the injections personally, as he will to all 5,000 first, second and third grade pupils between now and June in 19 Pittsburgh schools.

Under terms laid down by Dr. Salk, the names of the children receiving inoculations were withheld. They were given no prior warning of the injections.

Normal Approach
The University of Pittsburgh scientist said he wanted the children to approach the tests in a completely normal frame of mind, without the chance to build up mental tensions and fears beforehand.

Dr. Salk has planned the local test so that he can watch the vaccine's effect step-by-step in the youngsters receiving it.

Blood tests will be given with the injections—which may number as many as three for each child—to record the progress of the vaccine in building up immunization to the crippling polio virus.

The first large scale effort is to determine whether the vaccine will confer the hoped-for immunity from infantile paralysis. But the vaccine has been tested, over a period of years, on countless laboratory animals and on more than 800 human beings.

He's Confident
So confident is Dr. Salk, that the vaccine cannot harm those receiving it that he, his wife and their two children were among the first to be inoculated.

The vaccine itself is a combination of the three paralysis-producing strains of polio known to science. It is cultured in laboratories and safety-tested before it is administered.

Once injected, the vaccine induces a mild case of polio which the system conquers, strengthening its natural resistance to the disease.

Dr. Salk believes the vaccine will produce immunity for as much as seven months after injection.

While the Pittsburgh test is the first for Salk's vaccine, it will not be the only one.

Hundreds of thousands of youngsters throughout the nation will receive injections during the spring in a campaign conducted by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The vaccine is quite different from gamma globulin, used daily last summer in attempts to prevent polio.

Produces Antibodies
A vaccine stimulates the human body to produce its own antibodies, the natural soldiers against a disease germ. The natural antibodies induced by vaccines are kept for months or years, depending upon the nature of the vaccine and the disease itself. And once you have set up antibody factories, it is easier to do it again quickly, somewhat like a nation being armed up for war.

Gamma globulin is a blood fraction which contains antibodies made by other persons. It is a dose of borrowed antibodies, which remain in your blood for only a matter of weeks, then disappear. It does not make you create your own antibodies.

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Ducks Lead Child To His Death in Farm Stock Pond

TECUMSEH, Okla. (AP) — A 17-month-old boy played "follow the leader" with a flock of ducks Monday and the game cost him his life.

Mrs. Effie Boyle, mother of Donald Oliver Boyle, said she saw him following the ducks down to a stock pond on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cargill, grandparents of the youngster.

The ducks walked into the pond and began swimming. Young Donald did the same, and sank. He was dead before his mother could reach him.

Dog Wins Derby; Pulls 2,100 Pounds

WEST YELLOWSTONE (AP) — A sled dog owned by Al Holten, Santa Rosa, Calif., pulled 2,100 pounds of freight 25 feet Monday and claimed a new world's record.

North American Dog Derby officials said the previous record 1,600 pounds, set eight years ago in Nome, Alaska.



BIG DECISION—A hearing is being held in Washington, D.C., to determine whether to court-martial Frank Schwable for falsely confessing to germ warfare while he was the senior Marine officer in Korea. The 45-year-old colonel repudiated his confession after his release from a POW camp, and said it was extracted through "extreme torment."

There Are Signs Of Spring Pickup Note Better Volume Of Retail Buying

By SAM DAWSON

NEW YORK (AP)—Those who believe that February will be the low point in the recession have some signs to point to today—all the way from steel to diapers.

The first pickup in ordering noted in weeks or months is reported by some industries such as textiles. Better volume of retail buying is noted here and there. The number of those out of work still grows, but the rate of increase slackens for the first time in weeks.

Must Look Hard

You have to look hard to find these things among the welter of depressing statistics—and in some cases businessmen just say they can "sense a change for the better" in their customers' attitudes. But here are some of the signs reported today:

New York gift show officials report that both attendance and buying are setting a record so far this week. They say that ordering has been substantial, and attribute it to generally low inventories in most stores.

The bellwether steel industry reports somewhat along the same lines. The first upturn in steel ordering—even if trifling so far—is reported by a number of mills. Steelmen say their customers are at least giving signs of having used up their inventories and being ready to start over again.

Orders Higher

The auto industry, although plagued by heavy inventories in dealers' hands, says that ordering of new cars so far in February has been markedly higher. The big three auto makers are planning a step-up in production soon to meet what they insist will be a good season of consumer buying to start in a month or so.

Some textile mills are reporting the first increase in ordering in some lines in many weeks. Examples: Carded cotton yarn and cotton ducks. And diaper manufacturers say that orders have increased week by week this month

to the point they're even wondering if the prices couldn't be raised.

Hiring Again

An order upturn this month cheers the jewelry industry. Some plants are reported hiring again and stepping up production.

In the worrisome increase in joblessness, there comes the welcome government report that new claims for jobless pay are declining, although they stay above last February's.

Brotherhood Week Gesture Checks Rent Hike Fears

CHICAGO (AP) — Forty-nine tenants in a North Side apartment building have received a letter from their landlord but there was no notice of a rent increase.

"Because this is Brotherhood Week," Jerome M. Schulman wrote the tenants, "we should remind ourselves to have proper respect and consideration for our fellow man. . . . This letter is my feeble step to a practical application of brotherhood: to help take some small burden or worry from the mind of a brother man."

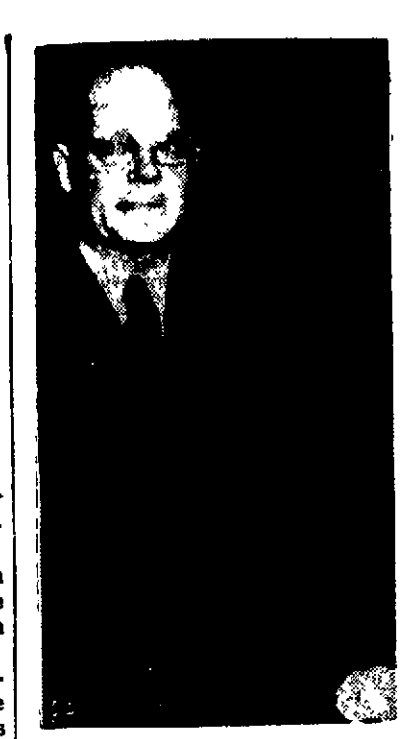
"Let me assure you that there will be no rent increase unless a future rise in basic costs forces one."

Schulman owns a three-story apartment building and his tenants pay an average rent of \$64 for four rooms and \$76 for five rooms.

ACCURATE ENGRAVER

First globes made in the United States were the work of James Wilson, in 1810. He engraved his projection maps with such accuracy that when they were cut apart and pasted on hollow wooden spheres, they fitted perfectly.

Last duel of record in North Carolina was fought in 1802 between ex-Governor Spaight and John Stanly.



STANDS TRIAL—Karl Albrecht Oberg, former Nazi SS general tagged by the French as the "butcher of Paris," stands before a military court in Paris. It was the opening of his trial on charges of ordering mass arrests, deportations and killings when he was commander of police forces in France during World War II German occupation. (AP wirephoto via radio from Paris)

Pima Indian, 115 Years Old, Dies

KOMATKE, Ariz. (AP)—Alex Tashquith, Pima Indian who claimed to be 115 years old, died Monday in his one-room adobe home near here.

In traditional Indian defiance of the whites, he refused to have a doctor treat a fractured leg which he suffered three weeks ago when he fell out of bed.

Canada's Northwest Territories have an area of 1,309,682 square miles.

New Jelly-Like Formula Knocks Baked Grease Off Oven Surfaces

"ITS" is the name of a new oven cleaner that restores oven surfaces to grease-free newness without scraping or scrubbing.

The substance is brushed on, allowed to stand, then wiped clean with water.

"ITS" oven cleaner is available at Eichler's for \$1 and this includes a plastic brush. "ITS" is non-inflammable and spectacular in performance. —Adv.

Holdup Men Bind Medic, Take Cash

CHICAGO (AP)—A physician told police Monday night two gunmen robbed him of \$800 in his office, then drove him to his home in his own car, took jewelry valued at more than \$2,000, and left in his car.

The victim, Dr. John J. Casciato, 44, of suburban Oak Park, was taken to a hospital suffering from shock. His brother, Dr. Nicholas Casciato, also a physician, said John recently underwent a throat operation.

Dr. John Casciato said the robbers entered his office, as his last evening patient was leaving, tied him up and looted his pockets.

One robber kept a pistol leveled at him during the ride to his Oak Park home, the doctor related. There he was tied up again while the man ransacked the house.

The physician's car in which the robbers departed was found abandoned about two miles from his home.

Dr. Casciato said his wife is ill and in a hospital.

Far East Expert Sketches Conditions Before Hearing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Asst. Secretary of State Walter S. Robertson has told Congress the Chinese Reds, in "just about the bloodiest pattern that the Communists have followed in any country in the world," have killed about 15 million of their own people since 1949.

Robertson, whose province is Far Eastern Affairs, attributed this huge death toll to liquidations and government - ignored starvation. In testimony on the State Department's budget request, public by the House Appropriations Committee today, Robertson made these points:

U. S. Strategy

1. A basic American strategy is to keep powerful Chinese Nationalist forces on Formosa as a constant threat of American-supported military action against Red China.

2. On the mainland "there is a deep undercurrent of unrest and resentments that would be glad to follow some other leadership if it had the chance."

3. New outlets must be found for Japanese trade, including more access to American markets, "or we will inevitably throw Japan into the Communist orbit."

4. For an indefinite period "we must make a contribution toward keeping our allies strong." In "Formosa and Korea we have an army of just about one million men . . . a big reserve against trouble in Asia" but a financial drain too heavy for these countries to handle alone.

China Sketch

Robertson, who once served as President Eisenhower's personal envoy to South Korea, gave this sketch of Communist China from available information:

The mainland had one of its worst famines in history in 1950. "Throughout that period the Communist government was exporting food, with thousands of people dying of starvation, to Soviet Russia in exchange for industrial equipment and military supplies."

The best estimate is " . . . that including the deaths from starvation the Communists have liquidated about 15 million people since 1949."

LONG, LONG TRAIL

The Appalachian Trail is a 2,000 mile trail from Maine to Georgia, 900 miles of which traverse eight national forests and two national parks along the crest of the Appalachian mountains.

Department Of State Cuts Payroll

WASHINGTON (AP) — The State Department reduced its payroll by 5,476 employees last year, a 21 per cent cut, Congress was told in testimony released today.

Donald B. Lourie, undersecretary of administration, told a House appropriations subcommittee that the cutback, to meet a lower budget, resulted in closing 20 consulates throughout the world.

He said the department had fewer than 20,000 people last Dec. 31, after reducing its staff and transferring 16,750 to the newly created Foreign Operations Administration.

W. Park Armstrong, special assistant for intelligence, testified the cutback meant a reduction of nearly one-fourth in the number of intelligence analysts covering the Soviet Union and one third of those studying Eastern Europe and the Far East.

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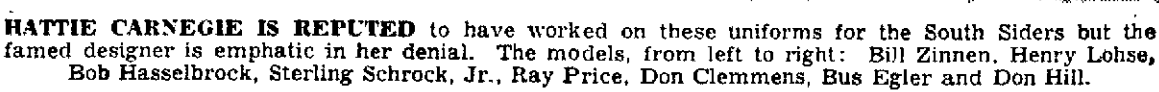
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OOPS! LEE COMBS takes a header over an unidentified policeman during action last night in the firemen-police game. An amused John Woodvatt, left, looks on while Glen Camery tries coming to a full stop after a hard run. This was one of many floor scrambles in both games at Old Timers' night last night at the DHS gym.



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VISITORS

HOME

WHAT'S TH' SCORE

By Norm Follow

"OH MY ACHING BACK" is the most pronounced phrase in Dixon among the Old Timers today. Hal Rhodes crawled to The Telegraph this morning to report on the receipts from the game but it was obviously an effort for the North sider to move around after his "agility" last night.

Rhodes reported that \$130 was taken in at the game with more to come in from pre-game sales. However, after expenses, the proceeds for the Dixon Youth Center and the police department will probably not amount to more than \$100.

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ALTHOUGH THIS IS A LITTLE OUT of the realm of sports, want to report we were quite impressed by the DHS students who entertained between halves of both games.

The Dixieland band stole the show, receiving demands for an encore after their second performance. The boys have good rhythm and put you right in the heart of Basin street with such tunes as "Muskrat Ramble" and "When the Saints Come Come Marching In."

THE BAND WAS COMPOSED OF: Charley Lesage, clarinet; Jack Schlueter, clarinet; Dave Thomas, trumpet; Gary Reeder, trombone; Dick Jenks, piano; Dick Thomas, sax; George Rolf, tuba, and Dick Snyder, drums.

THE BARBECUETTES were likewise entertaining, giving out with close, unaccompanied harmony which was pleasantly surprising. The quartet of high school girls was composed of Helen Fox, Eleanor Schoell, Pat Solitis and Alena LaCour.

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ON THE BASEBALL FRONT, Allie Reynolds finally came to terms with the New York Yankees but it was not revealed whether or not he was going to pitch.

Pitcher Bob Miller and infielder Granny Hammer signed their 1954 contracts with the Philadelphia Phillies but Robin Roberts is still among the missing.

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NY ARCHIVE

291 'Security Risks' Get Other Federal Agency Jobs

WASHINGTON (U)—Eleven State Department employees released in 1953 were suspected loyalty risks, and out of 390 let go as "security risks," 291 got jobs in other federal agencies.

The statistics were contained in testimony made public today by the House Appropriations Committee, whose Democratic members have been insisting in budget hearings that all departments specify how many of their security cases were actually adjudged subversive. Democrats have claimed that the vast majority of the 2,220 federal employees fired or resigned under the Eisenhower administration security program were let out for reasons other than suspected disloyalty.

Summary To Date

To date, the committee has made public complete or partial breakdowns by seven agencies of their security dismissals. With approximately 761,000 employees, these departments have accounted for 1,558 security dismissals or resignations in 1953. Forty of these were listed as suspected or actual subversives. Causes of dismissal of the others included drunkenness, homosexuality, over-talkativeness, and incompetency.

The State Department's statistics were given by R. W. Scott McLeod, administrator of security.

He said that 21 employees had been discharged for cause, including 11 with "pro-Communist activities or associations" such as having relatives who were Soviet nationals. Seven of the 11, McLeod testified, had charges pending against them when the Republican administration took office.

291 Transferred

McLeod also listed in his breakdown 291 as having transferred to other agencies. He did not elaborate on the point and was not questioned about it. Thus there was nothing to indicate whether all or many of these are still on the federal payroll.

McLeod said that in 99 of these transfer cases the principal security factor was "homosexual deviations." In the same category, he added, 278 investigations were pending.

Besides those fired for cause and transferred to other federal agencies, McLeod's breakdown of the department's 590 security separations last year included 188 who resigned, 50 released through reductions in force, 36 released at expiration of limited appointment, and 4 who retired.

Reds Convinced They'll Control World: Dean

HELENA, Mont. (U)—The Communists are "convinced" that someday they will achieve their goal of world communism, Maj. Gen. William F. Dean declared Monday night. He urged a buildup of our military reserves.

The Reds' No. 1 Korean War prisoner addressed a Helena Korean Honor Day program, held in tribute to war dead. He said the Reds, hope to achieve communism in the United States by one of three methods:

"1. By psychological warfare or propaganda.

"2. The economy attack. They feel if we can have an economic depression that we will have a revolution and communism will take over. . . . They encourage the worry warts and the prophets of evil things to come.

"3. By military aggression. But they are not going to attack until they feel we have let our guard down."

Invalid Father Sees Son Burn to Death

LOS ANGELES (U)—An invalid father watched helplessly from a wheel chair while his son, 4, burned to death in a garage fire.

Firemen said the boy, Mark Clark, apparently hid in a car in the garage while playing with neighborhood children Monday. His brothers, David, 12, and Edward, 15, tried to reach him but were driven back by the flames.

'Pen-Palling Pair' Married After 40 Years of Courtship

MINNEAPOLIS (U)—The romance of two German youngsters before the start of World War I comes to fruition—March 6 in a marriage ceremony at Anchorage, Alaska, after some 40 years of "pen-palling."

Eric Tobehn, now 54, was called too young to become engaged to Charlotte Staudte, 53, when the two were childhood sweethearts in Bad Lovisick, Germany. After Eric was called up for the army, Charlotte's letters followed him through the war years.

Out of the army, instead of returning home, he joined the merchant marine and, in 1926, settled in America. The last several years he has lived at a boarding house operated by Mrs. Oscar Westlund at Mound, Minn., just outside of Minneapolis. Charlotte's letters still came.

But Tobehn didn't have the cash to pay her one-way passage here. He did, however, regale Mrs. Westlund with tales of what a wonderful cook Charlotte was. So Mrs. Westlund last year sponsored Charlotte and employed her.

A planned wedding last Christmas was abandoned when Tobehn lost his job. Now working for the government in Alaska, he recently wrote to set the date and told of an apartment he has for his bride-to-be in Anchorage.

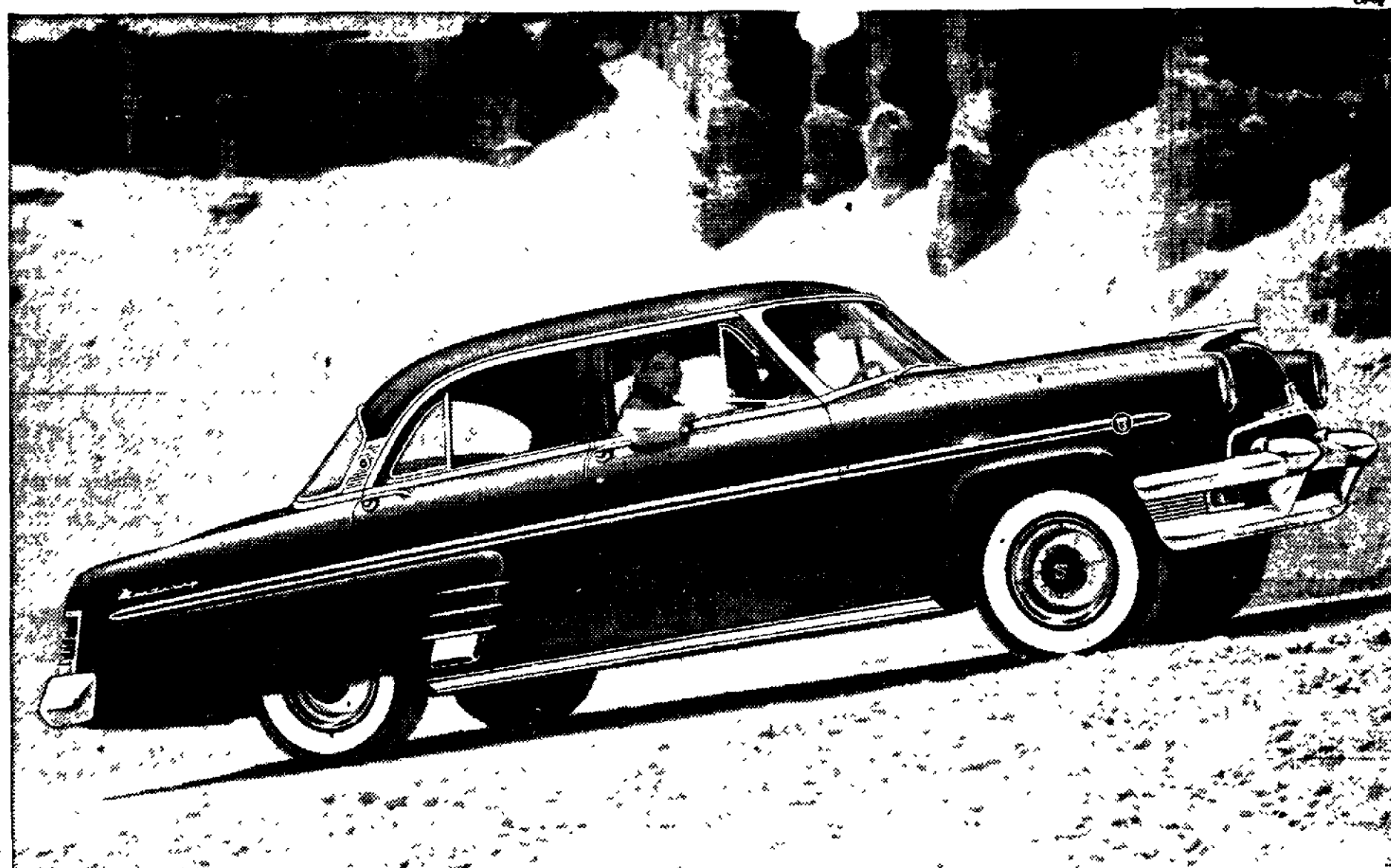
Her white satin wedding dress all ready, Miss Staudte boards a plane for Alaska Friday.

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Area Man to Take Part in 'Flash Burn'

FORT DEVENS, Mass. — Army Cpl. Glen L. Burchett, 25, son of Mrs. Mildred Burchett, Rochelle, is now making preparations at Fort Devens, Mass., to participate in Exercise Flash Burn.

Scheduled to take place at Fort Bragg, N. C., in April and May, Flash Burn will give more than 60,000 ground and airborne troops experience in using the army's newest weapons and tactics.

Cpl. Burchett, who is normally stationed at Fort Devens as a radar operator in Headquarters Battery of the 191st Field Artillery Battalion, has been detailed as part of the enemy aggressor force which will oppose friendly troops during the maneuvers.

The corporal entered the army in September, 1951, and was formerly stationed on Okinawa.

Oregon Scouts to Present Program for Mothers Club



OREGON—The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of Oregon will present the program at the meeting of Oregon Community Mothers Club to be held at the grade school gymnasium Monday at 8 p.m.

Refreshments will be served by sixth grade mothers. Mrs. James Ingraham, Mrs. LaVerne Bradford, Mrs. Charles McCourt and Mrs. LeRoy Clapper jr. will be hostesses.

All mothers of the community are invited to attend. A special invitation is extended to all mothers who have recently moved to the community.

Auxiliary to Host County Council Friday

LEE CENTER — Lee Center American Legion Auxiliary will entertain the Lee County Council Friday night beginning with a scramble supper at 6:30 p.m.

Local members will furnish meat, potatoes and other hot dishes. Guests will bring salad and desserts.

The supper will be held in the Congregational church annex.

Clappers Return From Trip South

OREGON — Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Clapper jr. and family, and LeRoy Clapper sr. have returned from a two-week southern trip. They visited Gaston and Thorsby, Ala., Baton Rouge, and New Orleans, La., Gulfport, Miss. and Pensacola, Fla.

Miss Kennay in Chicago Hospital

LEE CENTER—Miss Lorraine Kennay has been admitted to Mercy hospital in Chicago for treatment. Her address is Room 346, Mercy hospital, Chicago. Her mother is staying in Chicago near her at 1413 N. Rockwell st.

Hobby and Antique Show
Friday Afternoon and Evening—Feb. 26
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Rebekahs Meet In Lee Center

LEE CENTER — Abigail Rebekah lodge met Friday night, and decided to hold a bake sale March 6 in McNinch grocery. The committee appointed was Alice Parlin, Mrs. Ada Carlson and Mrs. Earl Morris.

April 2 will be the date for the school of instruction.

After the meeting, Noble Grand Alta Morris, Esther Conibear, Helen Parsons, Irene Black, Mary Gagnon, Mellie Foote and Alice Parlin attended the installation of officers in Aurelia lodge in Amboy.

Mrs. Louis John of the Lee Center lodge served as installing president, and Mrs. Oscar Hasselberg as musician during the installation.

Mae Tiffany, Mrs. and Mrs. George Ikans and Mrs. James Klausen of Lee Center lodge also attended.

Eighth Grade In Ohio School To Give Play

OHIO—The eighth grade of Ohio grade school will present a play, "Tomorrow Is a Lovely Day," in the school auditorium March 2, at 8 p.m.

The cast includes Micky Gorman, Don Albrecht, Carol Eubridge, Colleen Evans, Karen Krieger, Kay Doran, Judy Farley, David Willey, Tom Piper, Joyce Hensel, Gloria Enright, Patricia Stocking and Richard Sisler.

Mark Birthdays in Lee Center

LEE CENTER—Mrs. Irene Finn entertained with a birthday party for her daughter, Donna, Sunday. Donna is ten years old.

The guests were Marilyn McNinch, Cheryl Jahn, Karen and Cynthia Wellman, Linda Ullrich, Fatty McDuffy, Ardath Baylor, Mary Thompson, Carol and Diane Gagnon, Judith Zink, Steven Carlson and Shirley Black, Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller, her aunt and uncle, of Rochelle, were also present.

George Dunseth entertained Rev. Voss at dinner Sunday. In the evening they were guests at a birthday supper in the Earl Dunseth home, in honor of Mrs. Dunseth on her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunseth, Franklin Grove, were other guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Delhotel entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Robert's mother, Mrs. Leonard Delhotel.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Delhotel and Wally, Alice Montavon, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Weiser, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Schwitters and Patty, Bonnie and Butch.



SPOTTY — Vivacious Terry Moore, just back from Korea, poses in an ermine bathing suit. While entertaining troops in Korea, her suit caused top brass to put an "off-limits" tag on the movie charmer.

4-H Committee Outlines Goals

AMBOY — (Special) — The Lee County 4-H youth committee met recently and set up goals for agriculture and home economics 4-H club work during 1954.

By setting up these goals the committee hopes that the overall quality of club work will be improved and that it will give all members, leaders, and parents something to strive for during the following year.

The 1954 goals and objectives are as follows:

1. Secure more parent cooperation by:
 - a. Family night
 - b. Personal visit (Use 4-H Handbook for better project selections)
 - c. Letter to parents
 - d. Involve each parent on a committee
 - e. Meet in the home when possible
2. Increase enrollment and re-enrollment
 - a. Year-round club work
 - b. Personal visits
 - c. Membership drives
 - d. Advertise your work
 - e. Encourage and assist competent leaders
 - f. Attend all training schools and leader functions
 - g. Secure at least two adult and junior leaders for each club
 - h. Encourage former members and parents to be leaders

Members of the 1954 committee directing all Lee county youth activities are as follows:

- Philip Schlesinger, Pawpaw, chairman, agriculture committee; Mrs. Raymond E. Lair, Dixon, chairman, home economics committee; Frank Adams, Dixon; Raymond Lair, Dixon; Denton Swartz, Dixon; Forrest Robbins, Dixon; Mrs. Marcus Gonnerman, Dixon; Mrs. Milton Rapp, Sublette; Mrs. Eugene Sword, Steward; Rosella Gonnerman, Ashton; James T. Somers, Amboy; June L. Pilgrim, Amboy, and Arthur W. Seeds, Amboy.
- The agriculture committee also planned and approved all of the 1954 4-H activities.
- Here is a list and approximate dates of all major 4-H activities that 4-Hers may participate in this year.
- 1954 Agricultural 4-H Program
- 4-H Federation meetings, January through December
 - 4-H Sheep Project training, Feb. 16, May-August
 - 4-H Record clinics, April-August
 - 4-H Enrollment drive, March-April
 - 4-H tractor maintenance school, March 13, 20
 - 4-H ton-litter activity, March-October
 - National 4-H Club Week, March 6-14
 - 4-H Window displays, March 31, April 7, 14, 21
 - 4-H Conservation school, March-April
 - 4-H X-Tra Yield project, April-November
 - Pick-the-Winner contest, April-November
 - 4-H Officers training, March
 - 4-H county camp, June 29
 - 4-H Judging school and contest, June
 - 4-H softball, June-August
 - 4-H tractor operator's contest, July 4
 - 4-H district camp, July 26-30
 - 4-H Demonstration contest, July 16
 - 4-H Public speaking contest, July 16
 - Illinois State Fair, August 13-22
 - 4-H County Show, August
 - 4-H completion meeting, September 8
 - 4-H Achievement meetings, November.

Polo Notes

POLO — Mr. and Mrs. Conway and daughter, Chicago, were weekend guests in the home of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Diehl. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schell, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Buck, Mrs. W. W. Supinger returned Friday night from a week's visit with friends in Litchfield. While there she attended the 73 anniversary of Lavonne chapter, OES. She was among the honored guests who had been members of OES for 25 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Palmer, Dick and Janice were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Palmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ketel.

Earl Brown transacted business in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ports and Shirley attended a scramble dinner in the John Bothe home, Amboy, Sunday evening.

Rockton Pair Lost After Plane Trip

KENORA, Ont. (U) — An air search was scheduled to resume at dawn today for two Illinois wolf hunters and their light plane lost since Sunday somewhere in the wilds of northwestern Ontario.

Red Buchanan and Ken Gitchell, both of Rockton, Ill., failed to return to their base here after taking off early Sunday. Their single-engine plane was last sighted early Sunday at Ball Lake, Ont.

Pilots here think the plane was forced down, and because of the heavy slush conditions, has been unable to take off again.

Lee Center News Notes

LEE CENTER — George King flew to Los Angeles, Calif., to spend a few weeks with his daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Marie Pomeroy.

Margie Pomeroy, Dixon, spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conibear.

Martin Maurer, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Maurer, Moline, and Mrs. Bertha Maynard, Matherville, spent Sunday afternoon in the O. S. Baylor home and also called on Mrs. Mary Baylor jr. Forman nursing home, Amboy. Martin Maurer and Mrs. Baylor are sister and brother.

Michael KSB had his tonsils removed in KSB hospital, Dixon, last week.

Mrs. Floyd White had an appendectomy Saturday in KSB hospital, Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. King and Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Baylor and Dennis spent Tuesday in Mt. Carroll, where King and Baylor attended an insurance meeting.

Mrs. William Jacob, Mendota, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leake. Jacob and their children, joined her here for the weekend.

Mrs. Stanley Myers, Warren and Marcia, Arlington Heights, also came for the weekend. All returned to their homes Sunday.

The French Foreign Legion still functions, consisting of three regiments, or about 20,000 men.

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How will this change affect you? Right now, very little. Actual separation of plants, stores and offices, will take more time. Stores and offices, for the time being, remain the same for both Northern Illinois Gas Company and Public Service.

Until further notice, you can continue to conduct your business with us, pay your bills, etc., as before.

The Public Service Company wishes the new Northern Illinois Gas Company well . . . you can be sure that whether it be electricity or gas, both will always be at your command for fullest enjoyment of better living.

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Oregon Birth

OREGON—Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Bonnell are the parents of a daughter born Saturday in War-moils clinic.

Earl Brown transacted business in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ports and Shirley attended a scramble dinner in the John Bothe home, Amboy, Sunday evening.

Lee Center PTA to Meet

LEE CENTER — The PTA will hold its regular meeting in the school Thursday, Feb. 25, at 8 p.m.

The program and a fashion show will be given by the home economics girls under the direction of their teacher, Miss Huggins.

The public is invited.

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Underground River Provides Water for Dry Illinois Areas

URBANA, Ill. (U) — Despite widespread surface water drought today, east central Illinois communities sit above a vast, unestimated water supply in a great buried prehistoric river valley called the Mahomet.

The valley, cut into bed rock an average of 200 feet deep and as wide as 15 miles in DeWitt County, is buried under sand, gravel and other debris deposited by the glaciers a couple million years ago.

About 12 million gallons of water are jumped daily from its tremendous area by communities and industry.

Champaign-Urbana has wells in it. So has Clinton, Taxton and Rantoul. A chemical plant which uses six million gallons daily pumps the water into the Kaskaskia River, now virtually dry at this location, for carriage to the plant's intake near Tuscola. Test wells are being put down. About Decatur in a daily addition to that city's supply.

Illinois Geological Survey staff members who studied the Mahomet picture it this way:

The Mahomet River entered the state at the Indiana line in a valley about four miles wide. In central Piatt County the valley opens to 5 miles and finally to 15 miles in McLean County.

The valley loops southwestward from Iroquois County. Its 120 mile course in the state includes an upper floor plain or shelf.

Counties within whose boundaries the main valley and the shelf lie are Iroquois, Ford, Champaign, Piatt, DeWitt, McLean, Tazewell, Logan and Mason.

As the well-digging goes on, Illinois geologists are about ready to accept the theory that the Mahomet Valley is the lower course of an ancient river that started in the Blue Ridge Mountain area of North Carolina.

As a part of this theory, the ancient river, called the Teays, is thought to have finally discharged into the southern gulf area through bedrock valleys along the channels of the present Illinois and Mississippi rivers.

The valley is named the Mahomet because it was near the village of Mahomet in western Champaign County that three wells penetrated bedrock at low elevations and indicated the deep part of the channel. Some parts are as deep as 400 feet.

Geologists and engineers say they have no idea what the ultimate yield of the valley will be.

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1. Complete Work for Pressure Grouting - Gunting - Sand Blasting - Tuckpointing - Stain Water-proofing - Main Building, Illinois Braille and Sight Saving School, Jacksonville, Illinois.
2. Complete Work for Bath Room Facilities in Three Boys Cottages, Illinois Braille and Sight Saving School, Jacksonville, Illinois.
3. New Radiators and Repairs - Assembly Hall, Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home, Quincy, Illinois.
4. Complete General Work Including Mechanical and Electrical Rehabilitation of Existing Old Annex Building, Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home, Quincy, Illinois.
5. Additional Cross Connecting Water Mains, Jacksonville State Hospital, Jacksonville, Illinois.
6. Complete Work - Floor Repairs - Various Cottages, State Training School for Girls, Illinois Youth Commission, Geneva, Illinois.
7. Complete Work - Alterations and Repairs to Radio Station and Police Headquarters - Division of Public Safety, East of Sterling (District No. 1), Illinois.
8. Complete General, Electrical and Mechanical Work, Storage Buildings, Division of Highways, Bloomington, Pontiac and Decatur, Illinois.
9. Complete Work Including Mechanical and Electrical Rehabilitation of Ventilation System, Lincoln's Tomb, Springfield, Illinois.
10. Complete Work Including Plumbing, Heating and Electrical-Custodians Residence, Spiller Woods State Park, Macon County, Illinois.
11. Complete Work Including Plumbing, Heating and Electrical-Custodians Residence, Spiller Woods State Park, Macon County, Illinois.
12. Construction of a Maintenance Building, New Road, Parking Lot, Toilets, Water Line, Drinking Fountain and Lighting System - Spiller Woods State Park, Macon County, Illinois.
13. New Well, Pump, Water System, Pipe Sterilization and Plumbing Work for Spiller Woods State Park, Macon County, Illinois.

All proposals to be in accordance with plans and specifications which may be viewed in the Division of Architecture and Engineering Offices, Armory-Office Building, Springfield, Illinois, and 160 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois.

State of Illinois
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Supervising Architect
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RACE DRIVER INJURED—Johnny Parsons, Van Nuys, Calif., race driver and winner of the 1950 Indianapolis race, was injured Sunday when his midget car overturned in a six-lap heat race at Carrell Speedway in Los Angeles. Upper photo shows start of racer flipping over, end over end, after hitting a rut on the north end of the track. Bottom photo shows driver Skee Redican in car No. 14 whizzing by without colliding with the flying auto. (AP wirephoto)

Area Men Buy Guernsey Sires

Jessie M. Hummel, Dixon, has purchased the young Guernsey sire, Walnut Manor's Crusader, from Warren W. Thomas, Dixon.

This young bull is out of the cow, Walnut Manor's Marjory, and is sired by Walnut Manor's King's Sergeant.

Edgar Schene, Chana, has purchased the young Guernsey sire,

Sequel King Dick, from James Blumeyer, Chana.

This young bull is out of the cow, Primrose Cruiser, and is sired by King Sequel of Sunny Lea.

INCREASES SPEED
The closer to the sun the earth is, the faster it travels along its orbit and, since it is at its nearest point during the winter months, it makes the distance from the autumnal equinox to the vernal equinox in less time.

Newspaper Circulation Hits Record

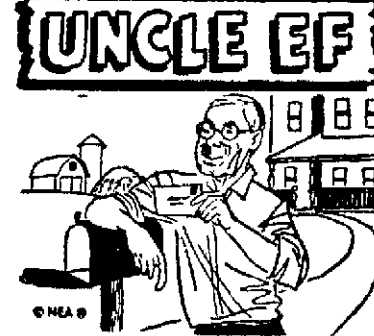
PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — Daily newspaper circulation in America reached an all-time high in 1953 despite the bugaboo of television, N. W. Ayer and Son announced Monday.

The Philadelphia advertising agency, in its 86th annual directory of newspapers and periodicals, also said there was a slight drop in the number of daily newspapers. But this was matched, it said, by an almost equal rise in the number of Sunday papers.

The authoritative directory said combined circulation of English-language dailies by the end of 1953 was 54,048,953, marking the first time that circulation has topped 54 million.

The directory said:

"Counting both English-language and foreign-language newspapers published in the United States, there are 1,504 evening papers (a drop of 4), 365 morning papers (a drop of 13), six all-day dailies (up 2) and 572 Sunday newspapers (up 14)."

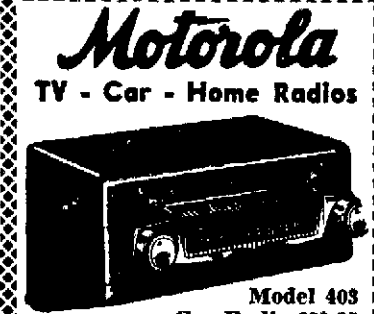


Miss Sarah Trotter is on an extended winter cruise, but postcards that she hasn't found the foreign-port cities visited of great interest since she hasn't met any home-town people in any of them.



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GOP Leaders Look to Ike For Tax Program Support

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican congressional leaders are looking to President Eisenhower to help bolster public and congressional support for the administration's beleaguered tax program.

Some GOP congressmen already have discussed the prospect of a presidential broadcast to the nation with administration officials, it was learned today. Informed sources said no decisions have been made.

Some Republican legislators have expressed concern over almost daily Democratic attacks declaring the Eisenhower program gives too many tax cuts to business and doesn't benefit the average taxpayer enough.

Democratic leaders are firmly predicting enactment of Democratic proposals for an increase in individual income tax exemptions, which would spread the biggest tax reductions among large family and low income groups. They argue this would boost consumer purchasing and help pull the nation out of its current economic dip.

Their various proposals would save taxpayers—and cost the government—from 2½ to 4½ or more billion dollars the first year, and possibly more later. They also would increase the prospective federal deficit by that amount.

Ike to Return To Capital As Rest Ends

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — This is the last day of President Eisenhower's southern California vacation, and he plans to spend a good part of it on the golf course.

The President and Mrs. Eisenhower are scheduled to start back to Washington by plane tonight and to arrive in the capital early Wednesday morning.

After Eisenhower arrives in the capital, Secretary of State Dulles will give him a first-hand report on the Berlin Big Four conference.

Eisenhower arrived here last Wednesday night. He and the First Lady have been guests of Paul G. Hoffman, board chairman of the Studebaker Corp., and Paul H. Helms, Los Angeles bakery executive.

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"I got used to just sort of rocking along," he said. "For years the merry-go-round business was just so-so. Then—bang—it raises up and hits me in the face."

Helpful Cop

CLEVELAND (U)—Mrs. Howard Smith was driving a friend to the airport Monday when she remembered she had left a pot of stew on the stove. She phoned police for help, saying the door key was under the mat.

Patrolman Robert Allen went to the house, stirred the stew a few times, then dutifully turned off the gas and left.

Ferguson Says Democratic 'Scare' Talk Hurts U.S.

Hoover Discounts Prospect Of Nationwide Depression

WASHINGTON (U)—Sen. Ferguson (R-Mich.) said today Democratic talk of a business recession is hurting the country and ought to be stopped.

Ferguson, who heads the senate GOP policy committee, spoke out after former President Hoover had discounted the possibility of a depression and Democratic National Chairman Stephen A. Mitchell had said reaction of the pocketbook nerve is likely to determine control of congress in November.

"I don't think there is going to be any recession but I must say the propaganda for it is much more effective than I had anticipated it would be," Ferguson said in an interview.

Somebody Loses
"All this talk is persuading some people not to buy. And when they don't buy an article, somebody who is making it loses his job."

Hoover lost his audience last night that as a man who had one depression named for him he thought he could say with good authority there are no signs of any big depression now.

Observing that economic dips occur about every five or seven

years in free enterprise systems, Hoover added:

"You can have high confidence that this is only a passing dip, a slump, a readjustment or a recession, not a great depression."

He said the "combustible materials are not heresbouts to construct another conflagration like that of the decade of the thirties." Then, he said, a total financial collapse in Europe combined with public overoptimism and a weak banking system at home to bring about worldwide depression.

Sees Control Switch
Mitchell told a news conference Monday he believes control of congress will turn in November on how the voters answer the question: "Am I better or worse off than I was a year ago?"

Ferguson discounted that, saying:

"I think the American people are much more intelligent than Mr. Mitchell gives them credit with being. They know we Republicans are trying to get from a war to a peace economy."

"In my opinion, the public is going to be better satisfied with a

more substantial and continuing peace economy, with some of the inflation squeezed out of it."

Ferguson said he doesn't agree with Mitchell's estimate that President Eisenhower's popularity with the voters is diminishing.

Mitchell said the President's popularity is going down because the people are identifying him more closely with his party "and they know from previous experience what the Republicans are like."

Convict Slain Scaling Wall

SPEIGNER, Ala. (U)—A 20-year-old white convict was shot to death and another wounded while trying to escape over the wall at Draper Prison early today.

The dead convict was identified as Ronald Coleman of Birmingham, Ala., who had been serving a six year term for larceny since June 1953 and who also figured in an escape plot in January.

The injured prisoner was listed as William Glover, 21, from Whigham, Ga., committed last October for 25 years for robbery.

Deputy Warden J. H. Robertson said the two men were caught in the shot gun crossfire of two tower guards.

Plug University Of Illinois for Air Force School

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (U)—The dean of the University of Illinois College of Commerce—Paul M. Green—says he is preparing a report for the Air Force which shows the advantages of Champaign-Urbana as the site for a proposed Air Academy.

Green said in a talk to the Champaign Rotary Club Monday that the commanding general of Base by Chautau Field Air Force Base, Maj. Gen. Byron E. Gatus, had given the plan his "enthusiastic support."

Green said he had discussions with the Air Force and was drawing up a report to submit to Air Force officers.

Former University of Illinois President George D. Stoddard was named a member of an eight-man advisory board on service academies in 1949. The board was to decide whether an Air Academy is needed.

Confesses Slaying of Boy in '35

CLEVELAND (U)—Police today considered what action to take against a motor car company worker who said he killed a boyhood companion in 1935 and then let another youth take the blame.

Anthony Derda, 29, walked up to a police inspector in a restaurant and told his story Monday, saying he wanted to clear his conscience and "get right with God."

"That other guy has been living with a black mark on his record all of these years," he said. "I've been living with the actual guilt."

Identifies Boy
He identified the boy killed in a woods near Pittsburgh 18 years ago as Steve Kotola, then about 7.

Henry Oberhelman, then 18, was accused of the crime and sent to a boys' corrective school, Derda added.

Pittsburgh police verified young Kotola had been killed, but said Oberhelman was tried and acquitted of the shooting. Oberhelman later died.

Deputy Police Inspector Chester I. Burnett said Derda gave these details:

Derda, 11 at the time, was hunting rabbits with the Kotola boy. The boy taunted him and Derda shot him through the head with a .22 rifle.

Derda then concocted a story for police, saying the boy had stolen his rifle and fled in the woods.

When the snow melted 45 days later, the boy was found and Oberhelman was blamed.

In Pittsburgh, Joseph Flynn, captain of homicide, described Oberhelman as a "mentally retarded" youth who spent time in mental institutions before and after the shooting. He admitted the shooting at first, then denied it and was acquitted when eventually brought to trial, Flynn reported.

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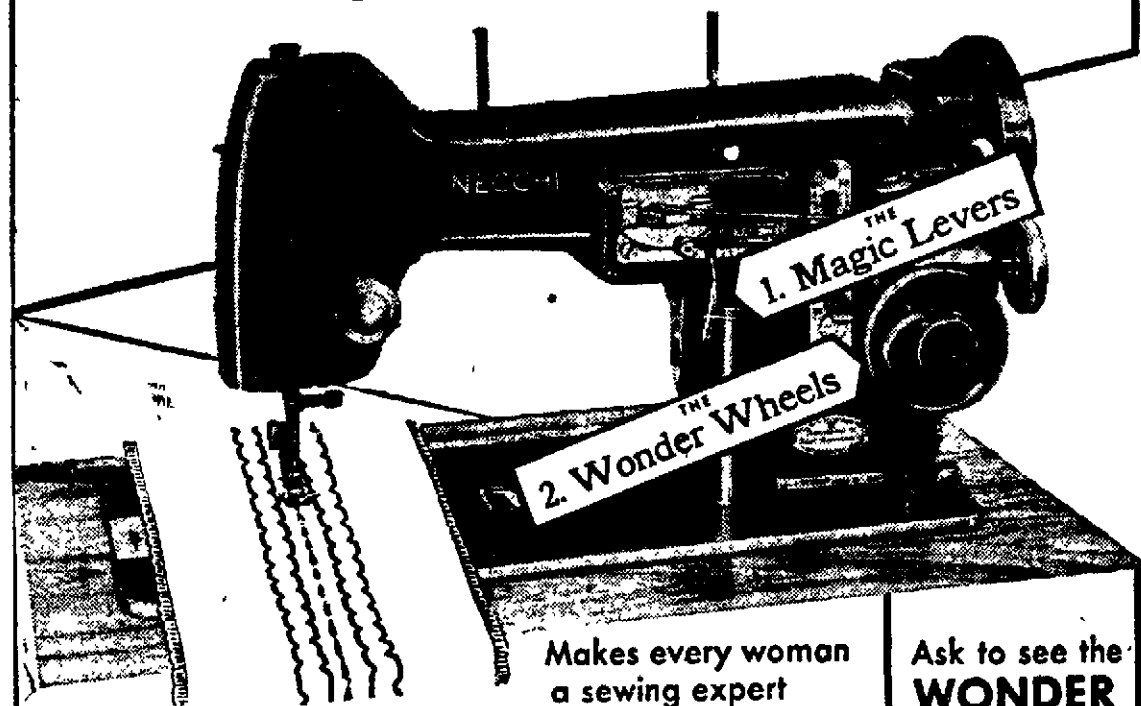
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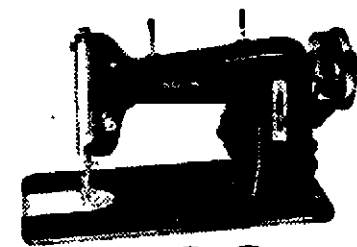
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